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NORTH AMERICAN GLADS

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The Finest in the World

Glads and Dahlias for 1953



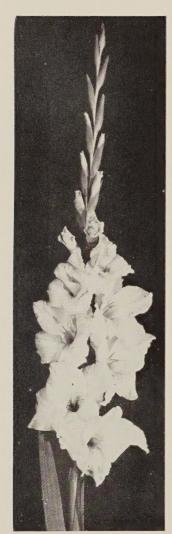


The Regal, Royal red glad LORD ELGIN being honored by its namesake, the Governor General of Canada.

# BRUCE COLLINS

8844 River Road

Utica, Michigan



Vanity Fair



Royal Flush



Easter Morn

## FOREWORD

WHAT A SEASON. Wet spring, but finally clearing up, so we could get on the ground and start planting about April 20th. Excellent planting weather for 3 weeks, with almost no rain. About two good rains in May, but after May 24th, we encountered the longest period of drouth I can recall, with hot dry winds.

In spite of inclement weather, we cut our first spike on June 27th. What do you think it was? RHETT BUTLER. This was followed very closely by DARLA, FIRMAMENT, GAYLORE, and of course the miniatures came in with a bang, due to the hot weather. BOPEEP, TWINKLES, SILVERSIDES, ELLA MAY, CRINKLETTE, FAIRYLAND, etc.

If you are growing for early cut-flowers, you just cannot afford to pass up RHETT BUTLLR and DARLA. The first beng a brilliant scarlet, and the second a lively light rose.

Of the recent introductions, worthy of merit, which came into flower very early, here are but a few of them. MELLOW MOON, RED TOWER, WINONA, AYLMER GLORY, BARRETTS BEAUTY, RED VELVET, MODERN MISS and STYLISH, all came into flower in 65 to 68 days. The heat may have had something to do with it, but these varieties were definitely early for me.

Best commercial performers for me, starting with WHITES, were as follows: FLOR-ENCE NIGHTINGALE, once, twice and all the time. SIERRA SNOW, MOTHER FISCHER, ANGELA LYNN, EASTER MORN, CRYSTAL BEAUTY, and the new SNOWCLAD, BET-TY JEAN, WHITE CLIFFE, BARBARA WARR, not forgetting dependable PEGGY FARRELL.



Hazel Dunlop, Premier flower arranger & author of book "Let's arrange flowers."

"GRAMPS"
Just "Bruce" to You

In Creams, the best for me, were **DAYBREAK**, **CHARLOTTE RUSSE**, **LEADING LIGHT**, **CONNIE G., LEADING LADY**, are certainly among the topnotch performers.

In Yellows, we are getting a flock of them. Here are some of the best: FORSYTHIA, SUNDANCE, YELLOW FLARE, CATHERINE BEATH, GOLD, and the newest being GOLD BANK, GOLD BOND, GOLDEN DIANA, all of which are superior yellows to previous introductions in every way.

In Rose Pinks, and we are not going to attempt to classify them too closely: DARLA AMERICAN BEAUTY, ELMER'S ROSE, ROSY FUTURE, BURMA, AYLMER GLORY, LYNNE HILL, ORCHID MIST, ROSITA, SHALIMAR, and some new introductions, namely ROSIE O' GRADY, ROSELYN, ROSANNAH, POWDER PUFF, GREAT DAY, WHISTLE STOP, and VENDOME. Here is a class, which a few years back, was woefully weak, but now you have a very wide choice.

THE BALANCE we shall just classify as pink pinks: EDITH WARR, SPIC & SPAN, JINI MARIE, DOROTHY MARGARET, HONEY DEW, BONNIE BRAE, ANN SHERMAN, ADORABLE, GRACE DARLING, COMPLEXION, CITATION, FRASER, DOLLY VARDEN, PENNANT, HEARTS DESIRE, EVANGELINE, and the newer, LOOK, ANNIVERSARY, CAPRICE, SUMMER CHARM and EXOTIC.

The red classes while seemingly large, are really not so large after all: RHETT BUTLER, RED CHERRY, DIEPPE, REDOWA, RED FEATHER, RED TOWER, RED VELVET, LORD ELGIN, BONFIRE, RED CHARM, and the newest DAVID WARR, GARNET RUFFLES, DIXIE ROSE, RED MILL, TRULY FAIR, and the new smokey bronzy red, CHEROKEE.

The lavender class has been greatly strengthened for another year. Here are some topnotchers: COL. ATKINSON, MADELINE HEFTY, FALCON, BRIDAL ORCHID, MARTHA WASHINGTON, VALDA, MYRTLE GRACE, COLONIAL DAME, HENRIETTA, DESERT SONG, ORCHID SKIES.

The orange classes are coming up. Here are some good ones: TASCO, MARGARET JEAN and the newest PRINCESS AURORA, which we predict is the current BEST orange.

The Buffs are beginning to increase, and here are some good ones: **PEACH GLOW** of course leads the list. **SUNSPOT** still good, and the new **SUNSET GOLD** from Australia, is proving extremely popular here.

Black Reds, always a favorite with everyone, are topped by ACE OF SPADES. This one stands out in a class by itself. BLACK CHERRY, and VELVET MARVEL are also fine.

BLUES are starting to come up a bit. Here are some good ones. FIRMAMENT, BLUE LAGOON, TRI-COLOR, GREAT LAKES, and the newest BLUEBERRY. We are discarding BLUE BEAUTY this season, and replacing it with FIRMAMENT.

Purples, which can stand heat, will not bruise nor rainspot, are scarce, but we have some good ones: KING DAVID, stands at the top of the list, followed closely by WONDER BOY, KASHMIR, INDELIBLE, MODERN MISS, a light purple, and the new Tyndall introductions: ROYAL VELVET, and DIXIE ROSE. Ted Wood's newest creation, WHISTLE STOP, is a grand purple, with a deep rose shading. CREOLE BELLE from Lawrence Allen, looks like a topper too.

SMOKIES are certainly popular with the fans. STORMY WFATHER and SANDMAN seem to top the list. ALLAH, a newie, is outstanding and different. Newest too, are CHER-OKEE from Geo. Snyder, POWDER PUFF from Lawrence Allen, another great smokey.

We must not pass up the newest miniatures, which are becoming increasingly popular, without a mention of them. **EXQUISITE MIDGET**, from Archie Whitehouse, Sarnia, Ontario, is the cutest, most loveable little pink in existence. Barely making the one inch size, it will thrill you no end. **CHARMETTE** from Murray Tyndall, is well worth your attention. It is new and different.

Don't forget to examine the list of novelties, offered here, from Lucian Gosling of Ludington, Mich., the premier hybridizer of novelties. There is nothing like them in the glad world.

# 1953 INTRODUCTIONS

SO, WE COME TO THE THRILLS, THE 1953 INTRODUCTIONS. ALL HAVE BEEN GROWN BY ME IN MY OWN GARDEN, NO PAMPERING, ONLY A LITTLE EXTRA WATER, RATED BY JUDGES FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY, AND TESTED IN OTHER SECTIONS OF USA and CANADA.

## Introductions for 1953 from Various Hybridizers

From J. W. HARRIS, Sarnia, Ont. Too well known to require background. His introductions, are especially noted for HEALTH, STAMINA, THE ABILITY TO STAND EXTREME HEAT AND DROUTH, because he grows them without any irrigation. NEVER A DUD IN A HARRIS ORIGINATION.

**SNOWCLAD:** A taller and better finished **SIERRA SNOW**. This one will grow 72" with a 30"flowerhead. Will open 12 in the field, with 10 in color. Ruffled and fluted. American Home Achievement Winner at S.E.M.G.S. 1952.

GOLD BOND: The best medium yellow I have ever seen. 66" tall, with a 26" flowerhead. 20 to 21 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, strong grower. A rich canary yellow ruffled, heavy textured. No throat marks, just clean clear yellow throughout.

**ALLAH:** For you fans who want smokeys, or A.O.C.'s, here is a beaut. Hard to describe unless we say a huge, richer, much improved Vagabond Frince without the Scarlet feather in the throat. Ruffled, needle pointed, and 56" tall, with a 20" flowerhead, 19 buds, 8 open, 6 in color.



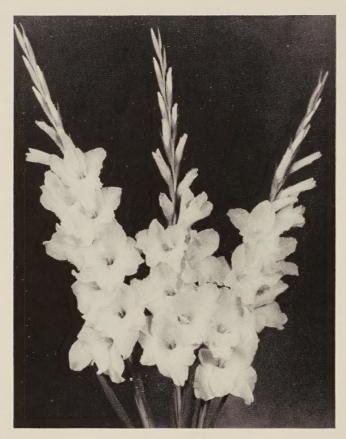
Gold Bond



J. W. Harris



Blueberry



Snowclad

**BLUEBERRY:** A fine addition to the medium blue class, that grows 56", with 19 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, slightly ruffled, very slight throat, almost a self color. Should make a very valuable addition to this weak color class.

**GOLDEN DIANA:** Another clean, clear deep yellow, no throat marks, ruffled, extra heavy texture, grows 60", with a 24" flowerhead, 20 buds, 9 open 7 in color. We tested around 30 new yellows this season, and for a rich deep yellow, this one outclassed them all.

**ROSIE O'GRADY:** Here is the swellest medium rose with slightly deeper throat I have seen. Large  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " florets, ruffled and heavy textured, grows 56", with 19 to 21 buds, opens 8 easily, with 6 in color, and considered a knockout, in the rose class.

Above 6 introductions, priced as follows, each: Large \$3.00, Medium \$2.00, Small \$1.00, with bulblets at 35c or 3 for \$1.00.



From TED WOODS, Madison, Wisconsin. That great hybridizer, who originated such fine things as ROSITA, ANN SHERMAN, etc., has two for 1953 in the deeper colors, for a change, and by the way deep colors seem to be in demand this season.

WHISTLE STOP: (462) A grand Rose purple, grows 66" tall, 34" flowerhead, with 24 buds, 10 open, 8 in color, ruffled, and extra heavy substance. Blooms in 80 days, and in the rose purple class, it will be hard to beat.

**TRULY FAIR:** (452) A glorified American Beauty red. A perfectly beautiful color which the florists really wanted, grows 58", with a 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, 8 open, 8 in color, and best of all, it blooms in 65 days. Beautifully ruffled, wide open, and will make a great commercial.

Either of the above introductions, priced at: Large \$3.00, 10 for \$22.50; Medium \$2.00, 10 for \$15.00; Small \$1.00, 10 for \$7.50; Blbts. .75, 10 for \$5.00.

- From MURRAY TYNDALL, Brucefield, Ont. Remember him? His 1952 introduction WON-DER BOY, knocked them dead wherever it was shown this past season. His 1953 introductions were simply knockouts in my trial garden, and as the kids say "They send you".
- ROSELYN: A deep rose with darker lower lip petal. A rich, beautiful rose, ruffled heavy textured, grows 60", with a 24" flowerhead, 8 open, 6 in color, early, vigorous, an eye-stopper.
- **DIXIE ROSE:** A purplish red, very velvety sheen to petals, with slightly lighter throat. Grows 54", with a 24" flowerhead, 7 open, 6 in color. Early and a strong color, which everyone liked.
- **CANUCK:** A huge soft salmon, with lighter throat, on which are reddish throat lines. Florets will run over 8" wide, simply tremendous in size. Grows 66", with a 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, with 8 open, 8 in color, strictly exhibition.
- **ROYAL VELVET:** A soft pleasing shade of medium purple, extra heavy texture, grows 56", with a 25" flowerhead, 6 open, 6 in color. A very pleasing and unusual shade of purple, which the ladies loved.
- **CHARMETTE:** A grand little miniature, deep red, with a silvery edge on all petals. The brightest miniature in commerce. Grows 36", 14" flowerhead, 14 buds 5 open, 4 in color. A fine addition to the miniature class.

Above 5 introductions, priced as follows, each. Large \$3.00, Medium, \$2.00, Small \$1.00, with bulblets at 35c or 3 for \$1.00.



Gold Bank



Murray Tyndall Brucefield, Ont.



Roselyn

### From JOHN BASTIAN, Co-Introducing:

GOLD BANK: A beautiful chartreuse yellow, heavily ruffled and needle pointed (see cut), stretchy, 21 buds, 8 open, 8 in color, grows 60", with a 24" flowerhead. Stands heat and bad weather. Exhibition and commercial and perfectly beautiful in every way.

Any size corm \$2.00, with Bulblets at 35c or 3 for \$1.00.

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- From BILL WARR, Verdun, Quebec. Remember his first origination, EDITH WARR which knocked them cold all over the country. Well, here are two others, which for me, and other testers were just as outstanding.
- BARBARA WARR: A huge ruffled creamy white, with chartreuse throat. Grows 60", with a 24" flowerhead, 22 buds, 8 to 10 open, 8 in color, strong grower. A perfectly beautiful and outstanding glad, you will thrill to.
- **DAVID WARR:** Named in honor of his father, who left them last summer, and a finer tribute could not be found. A very tall, rich scarlet, ruffled and needle pointed petals. Grows 66", with a 28" flowerhead, 10 open, 8 in color. A standout in the red class, and one you will hear about in years to come.

Above 2 introductions, each: Any size corm \$2.00, with Bulblets at 35c or 3 for \$1.00



- From LAWRENCE ALLEN, Akron, Ohio, whose KASHMIR, CRYSTAL BEAUTY, GLORY, have been winning all over the country, here are 5 beauts, in the most unusual colors you have ever seen.
- **POWDER PUFF:** A smokey old rose, ruffled and needle pointed, the most unusual rose color I have ever seen. You smokey fans will really go nuts over this one. Imagine **ROSITA** with a smoke screen over it, and you have the color. Grows 54", with a 22" flowerhead.
- **JITTERBUG:** As lively as the name implies. A brilliant heavily ruffled scarlet needle pointed petals. Has slightly deeper throat. Grows 54", with 24" flowerhead, 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color.
- **DINAH:** A smokey grey glad, with just enough rose in it to light it up. A most unusual color, sort of a glorified **STORMY WEATHER**, without the rose in it. Grows 54", with a 22" flowerhead, 20 buds, 8 to 10 open, 7 in color. Here is another knockout for you smokey fans.
- **GREAT DAY:** A very much glorified **ELMER'S ROSE**, slightly deeper rose, heavy ruffled and needle pointed, grows 56" with a 24" flowerhead, 21 buds 8 open, 7 in color.
- **CREOLE BELLE:** A heavily ruffled and needle pointed deep maroon, with slightly lighter throat. A very rich, lush color, which was admired by everyone who saw it. Grows 54", with a 22" flowerhead, 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color.

All above in the 400 size, with  $5\frac{1}{4}$  to  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " florets. All connoisseurs glads. Any one of above 5 priced at: Large \$3.00; Medium \$2.00; Small \$1.00; Blbts. 3 for \$1.00.



From LINS GLADIOLUS, Cologne, Minn.:

**SUMMER CHARM:** Blush Pink, with cream throat. On the order of Corona, but much prettier. Edges of petals are a rich pink, shading out to a cream throat. Grows 56", with a 22" flowerhead, 22 buds, 7 open, 6 in color, stands heat and drouth, an excellent exhibition and commercial.

Any size Corm \$2.00; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00.

- **EXOTIC:** Soft salmon pink, with white midribs, and a delicate soft pink throat. One of those real charmers, and as exotic as the name implies. Grows 56", with a 24" flowerhead, 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color and extremely healthy in every respect.

  Any size Corm \$3.00; Blbts. 10 for \$3.00.
- **VENDOME:** A deeper and richer rose colored Miss Wisconsin. Slightly deeper rose, much taller, and better textured, and grows 60" tall, with a 24" flowerhead, 8 open, 6 in color, and will make one of the finest commercials ever. An eye-stopper in your field. **Any size Corm \$2.00; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00.**

- From F. A. VERGOTE, Mount Clemens, Mich., whose first origination ROSY WINGS, made a great impression, and many fine wins at the shows in 1952.
- **BETTY JEAN:** A grand new white, with two cream lower lip petals. Grows 66", with a 24" flowerhead, opens 8 easily, with 6 in color. Won American Home Achievement Medal at Michigan State Show, 1952, many special awards, and considered one of the finest 1953 introductions.
- **MARDI GRAS:** Just what the name implies. Basic color is white, with rose edging, and rose flecking toward outside of petals. Rose blotch on two lower petals, and will remind you of a masked ball, with lights playing on the dancers.

Above 2 priced each at: Large \$3.00; Medium \$2.00; Small \$1.00; Blbts. .35; 3 for \$1.00

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- From: JIM KYDD, Verdun, Quebec, another protege of Percy Barrett's, who has two very fine new things, which look awfully good to me.
- **PRINCESS AURORA:** One of the finest, tallest orange colored glads I have grown this season. Grows 60", with a 24" flowerhead, medium to deep orange with yellow throat, ruffled, 22 buds, 9 open, 7 in color, perfect facing and spacing.
- ROSANNAH: A medium rose, with rose lines in throat, a little smoky appearance lends to it's softness. Grows 66" easily, with a 28" flowerhead, 23 buds, 10 open, 7 in color, takes heat, and holds up well when cut. Nicely ruffled, a new and unusual color.

Both these introductions are very worthy competitors, and you will be proud to grow them. Priced as follows, each: Any size corm \$2.00, with Blbts. .35; 3 for \$1.00.







Betty Jean



Princess Aurora





Rosita

Percy Barrett

From PERCY BARRETT, Beaurepaire, Quebec: The old master painter, who always comes up with something new and startling. Too well known by his previous introductions, ROYAL FLUSH, RED GLEAM, EVENING STAR, STORMY WEATHER, etc., all of which have stood the test of time and won many Grand Championships all over the country.

**RED MILL:** A brilliant glowing scarlet, ruffled and needle pointed, with a slightly lighter throat, grows 56", with a 24" flowerhead, 21 buds, 8 open 8 in color, excellent facing and spacing, the brightest thing in the garden.

**GOOD NEWS:** A large clean white, with a blush pink overcast, which does not fade out, even in hot weather. Grows 50", with a 24" flowerhead. 22 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, tall, straight, a glamorous, glorified Beauty's Blush.

**DESERT SONG:** Another grand lavender, not too deep, not too light, with a slightly lighter throat. Ruffled and needle pointed, extra heavy texture. Grows 60", with a 24" flowerhead. Perhaps the best lavender in the test garden this season.

Any size corm, \$2.00, with Bulblets at 3 for \$1.00 for each of above introductions.

**NOTE:** All above named for 3 outstanding musicals, and they were certainly all music to my field.

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From SNYDER'S GLAD ACRES, Richmond, Mich:

CHEROKEE (590) A new and distinctive bronzy red, ruffled, and fluted, and almost a bronze. One for you smokey collectors. Grows 54", with a 22" flowerhead, 20 buds, 7 open, 6 in color. Winner of several Awards of Merit, and one American Home Achievement Medal. A new and distinct color.

Large \$4.00; Medium & Small \$3.00; Blbts with any size bulb 10 for \$4.00.

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From FRANK F. LUND, Cotati, Calif. His 1952 introductions were well received:

CAPRICE: A medium deep salmon, with ivory midribs, grows 60" tall, with a 26" flower-head, 21 buds, 10 open, 6 in color. A great commercial as well as exhibition.

Any size bulb \$2.00 or 1 Bulb and 10 Blbts, for \$4.00.

From J. W. McINTOSH, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, a great scotsman's first introduction which you will be happy to grow:

ANNIVERSARY: A grand ruffled medium salmon, with cream throat. Grows tall, 65" with almost perfect facing and spacing. 26" flowerhead, opens 10 with 8 in color, on a 21 bud spike. A masterpiece in salmon.

Large \$3.00; Medium \$2.00; Small \$1.00; Blbts. 3 for \$1.00

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From Rockley Gardens, Morgantown, West Virginia:

LOOK: A glistening light pink, a real glorified RIMA, which we all loved. Grows 60 to 65" tall, with a 28" flowerhead, 20 buds, 6 open, 6 in color almost perfect facing and spacing, takes extreme heat and drouth. A real pink.
Large and Medium \$3.00; Small \$2.00; Blbts. 10 for \$3.00; 100 for \$24.00.

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From HARRY KNIGHT, Ames, Iowa:

**EARLY RED:** Glowing pure red, no orange tone. Grows 56", with a 29" flowerhead, with 21 buds, 7 open, and 6 in color. Class 450, tall healthy plants, an ideal florists glad, in a fine early clear red, which blooms right after Rhett Butler.

Any Size Corm \$2.00; 1 Corm and 10 Blbts. for \$5.00.

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From HARRY MOYER, Polk, Penna. A new hybridizer, but a great glad grower.

LAVENDER LADY: A perfectly beautiful deep lavender, with a touch of purple in it, Having a cream throat, with each cream petal edged in purple. The cream throat is large, making a very striking appearance. In the 300 size, grows 54" tall, with 19 buds, holds 8 open, with 8 in color, perfect facing and spacing. A standout in the garden.

Large \$2.00; Medium \$1.50; Small \$1.00; Blbts. 3 for \$1.00.

The three hybridizers of the famous TEEPLE glads. Left to right, Miss Ruby Haight, Miss Myrtle Teeple, and Miss Etoile Haight. AYLMER GLORY, ORCHID MIST, LYNNE HILL and LORD ELGIN.

From MAURICE MAYNARD, Ann Arbor, Mich. Not new to you middle-westerners, for he has been winning Medals, and Grand Championships for several years:

**GARNET RUFFLES**: A clean, clear, deep rich velvety red, ruffled and fluted, with a silvery edge on each petal, almost a self color. A standout. Grows 54" with a 24" flowerhead, 19 to 20 buds, with 8 open, 8 in color, a good commercial or exhibition glad. Has won Best Seedling award at several shows, average score on Trial Grounds is 86.

Any size Corm \$2.00; Blbts. .35 or 3 for \$1.00.

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From ARCHIE WHITEHOUSE, Sarnia, Ontario.

**EXQUISITE MIDGET:** For you miniature collectors, and anyone who wants to grow and show the tinest pink glad I have ever seen. A clean apple blossom pink, grows 16", with not to exceed 9 buds, will open 4 nicely, with 34 to 1" slightly ruffled, wide-open florets, that make the cutest corsages you can imagine. If you want to see something really small, cute, and exquisitely beautiful, you will need this glad.

Any size Corm \$1.00; Blbts. .25, 5 for \$1.00.

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From LAWRENCE ALLEN, stock purchased outright, by Ninah Ward and myself 2 years ago, one of the grandest huge lavenders in commerce:

**ORCHID SKIES:** A simply huge lavender, with  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to 8" florets, grows 65", with a 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, 10 open, 8 in color, tall strong foliage, has won numerous Championships, as a seedling. Sometimes flecks slightly in cool weather, but the flecking does not detract from it's beauty. For you birds who want to win Championship Spike, get this big fellow.

A large stock, permits this very modest introductory price: Any size Corm \$1.00, Blbts. 5 for \$1.00.



C. C. Dale, of Pendleton, Indiana, with the glamorous NOVELTY QUEEN.

# RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

### TERMS AND PRICES

### Please Read Carefully

Retail orders of \$2.00 and upwards prepaid in U. S. \$5.00 or over in Canada and foreign countries. Canadian customers please secure mail permits on small orders, large ones by express. 10 bulbs will be sold at 8 times single rate; where priced as for instance, 2 for 15 cents, 10 rate would be 60 cents. Please do not order less than quantity quoted.

Grower's units of 1951 and 1952 releases can be supplied, if desired. Just send list of your wants for quotation, stating number and sizes. Wholesale orders, including bulblets by pints and quarts, also a matter of correspondence.

I usually can begin to ship by December 1, but will be glad to hold bulbs until Spring if desired. ALL ORDERS FOR DEFERRED DELIVERY MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY 20% OF PURCHASE PRICE. No bulblet orders filled after April 1, as I begin to treat and plant bulblets shortly after this date. Small orders sent by mail at my risk, larger orders delivered to Express Co. in good condition, fully insured, thereafter my responsibility ceases. Purchasers should examine package carefully, so as to file claim if received in damaged condition. The difficulties encountered in getting out an early catalog are many, not the least being the securing of new fall prices. I endeavor to cooperate with originators and follow their prices where furnished. However, I do not wish to be undersold, and when prices are out of line with those of the originator or any reputable cataloger, I will be glad to furnish at their prices, as long as stocks last. This does not apply to cut-rate prices. I endeavor to send out healthy true to name bulbs, but owing to the conditions beyond my control, I cannot be responsible for the crop. All orders are accepted subject to stock and prior sale.

- ACE OF SPADES (454) The blackest of the black reds that we have seen. Opens 6 nicely ruffled 5-inch florets on a 20-bud spike. Very outstanding A strong vigorous grower.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- **ADORABLE** (541) Very pretty pale pink with a light rosy red blotch on a lighter background. Spikes grow up to 50 inches tall with 17-18 buds on a 24-inch head and 5-6 5-inch florets open.

L .60; M .40; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00

- ANGELA LYNN (400 Barrett 50) One of the prettiest of the whites. The florets are ruffled with a cream throat. A strong propagator and easy grower. Spikes are 50 inches tall, with 20 buds on 26-inch flowerhead and 7 4½-inch florets open in excellent placement.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- ANNE SHERMAN (540) A giant pure shell pink, heavily fluted and ruffled. Very tall with good facing and placement. A vigorous grower with up to 22 buds.

  L \$2.00; M \$1.25; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50
- **APRICOT ANGEL** (516) Height 50", flowerhead 25" 18 buds with 5" florets, light apricot pink, with ivory throat, ruffled and fluted. One of the most pleasing colors. Health excellent, facing and spacing about perfect.
  - L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00
- AUTUMN MOON (510) Immense light yellow with saucer like florets. As tall as Picardy and a very free bloomer even from small bulbs. Good commercial prospects.

  L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 20 for \$1.00
- AUTUMN QUEEN (416) Pale salmon shading to a light yellow throat. The florets are not too well formed and not a solid color, but the spikes are up to 6 feet tall with 17-18 buds on a 30"-32" head with 9 plain  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "-6" florets open.

  L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 20 for \$1.00
- AYLMER GLORY (566) A fine lavender with some slight rose in it, height 52", flower-head 20 to 22", 5" florets, 18 to 20 buds, 8 open, 10 in color, stem straight and ruffled and waved florets. One of the finest for commercial or exhibition in a beautiful color.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- BARRETT'S ATOMIC (500) Very well named. A huge towering spike with up to 40" flowerhead and 84" height. Heavily ruffled creamy white florets over 6" in diameter. A grand exhibition glad.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

- BARRETT'S BEAUTY (401) A glorified Violet Dickinson with a purple lined throat. A wonderful basket glad. It grows tall with long flowerheads. Florets are ruffled and fluted and have perfect facing and placement.
  - L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00
- BARRETT'S HONEY DEW (540) An unusual flesh pink with greenish cream throat. It grows tall with great vigor and lasting qualities. Florets are ruffled and needle pointed. It carries 7 open with a total of 22 buds.
  - L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- BIG JOE (536) Scarlet with a deeper blotch and a white line. The florets are large and attractive. Spikes grow 55"-60" tall, with 16 buds on a 25"-27" flowerhead and 6 open.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. .10 each
- BLISS (541) A grand ruffled, wide open bronze pink with a rose brush on a cream ground and bronze shades in bud. An entirely new color, grows 60" with 28" flowerhead opens 8 with 6 in color. A brilliant and eye-catching color. 5½" florets.

  Any size corm \$3.00 with ten Blbts. \$6.00.
  - L \$2.50; M \$2.00; S \$1.25; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- BLUE DEVIL (479) Clear deep violet with conspicuous rose blotch on white throat. Tall healthy grower and a good propagator. A grand exhibition glad.

  L \$2.50; M \$1.75; S \$1.25; Blbts. 10 for \$2.50
- **BONFIRE** (436) A new scarlet that is most brilliant in color. It grows 5 ft. tall, producing spikes of uniformity that regularly open 6 to 8 florets. An outstanding cutter, good propagator and germinator.
  - L 2 for .35;M 2 for .25; S 4 for .30; Blbts. 100 for .50
- BONNIE BRAE (Mode) (430) A blush salmon pink of the most beautiful coloring you ever saw. Has won scads of prizes in Canadian shows. Grows 56", with 26" flowerhead, 4½" floret; opens 8 that will keep in any kind of weather. A grand commercial.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- BRIDAL ORCHID (566) This new giant light lavender is a sensation at the shows. Opens up to ten 6" florets on a flowerhead with up to 24 buds.

  L.75; M.50; S.35; Blbts. 10 for .75; 100 for \$6.00
- CAPTAIN KIDD (452) A rich deep red, overlaid maroon. Can take almost any amount of heat. A tall grower with a willowy stem. Opens 6 or 7 slightly frilled florets on long flowerheads.

  L .75; M .50; S .30; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00
- CAPTIVATION (566) A delicate light lavender shading, lighter toward the throat. Grows 60" with 28" flowerhead, 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, triangular, ruffled and fluted flowers. This looks like one of the prettiest light lavenders in commerce. 5½" florets.

  L \$2.50; M \$2.00; S \$1.25; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- CATHERINE BEATH (412) Clear deep yellow of very high color value and exhibition rating. Its purity of color, size, height and structure will make it a good commercial prospect.

  L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 10 for .75; 100 for \$5.00
- CHARLOTTE RUSSE (560) A perfectly gorgeous ruffled cream with small throat mark of scarlet on faint chartreuse. Looks good enough to eat and makes fine straight spikes.

  L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 25 for \$1.00
- CHINOOK (532) A huge ruffled medium salmon, easily grown to 70" with a 30" flower-head, 8 open, 6 in color, 22 buds. Takes 110-degree heat without any sign of burn. Another possibility for Champion Spike.
  - L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 20 for \$1.00
- CHRISTIANA (541) Height 50" 18 to 20 buds, flowerhead 25", 6" florets, 8 open, 6 in color, light pink with orange red blotch and looks like one of the greatest commercials I have grown. Health, facing and spacing excellent.
  - L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00
- CITATION (542) A fine clean pink with cream throat. Outstanding in its tall robust growth and opening quality. Although it grows tall it will stand up without staking in adverse weather. Opens 7 well placed blooms. Excellent propagation.

CLAIRE WALLACE (532) Beautiful deep salmon with clear throat. A standout in this year's planting. Grows up to 54 inches, with 19 buds and 7-8 wide open bloom. Straight medium heavy stem and good placement. Grand for commercial and exhibition use.

L.50; M.35; S.25; Blbts. 20 for \$1.00

**CLARENCE D. FORTNAM** (440) A very beautiful, heavily ruffled blush pink variety that opens up to 10 needlepoint 5" florets on a 21-bud spike. One of the best.

L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .75

CLAUCARCY (241) A swell little pink with cream throat, with white midribs. Grows 55", with a 21" flowerhead. A little honey.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 15 for \$1.00

COACHMAN (430) Moderately ruffled medium pink of attractive shade with 9-10 open florets. Fine for exhibition or the home garden.

L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00

COL. W. G. ATKINSON (466) A wonderful lavender mauve of good height with perfect facing and placement. It carries up to 19 buds with 8 to 10 open florets in the field. Don't miss this beauty.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 10 for \$2.50

CO-ED (542) A gorgeous rich pure pink about the shade of Tivoli. The large luscious florets are slightly ruffled and waved. The plants are tall with long stretchy flower-heads of 20 or more buds.

L .40; M .30; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .35

**COLONIAL DAME** (466) A grand ruffled and frilled lavender, that is really lavender, and with a tall stretchy flowerhead, 22 to 26 buds, perfect spacing and facing. Grand reports on it this past season.

L .35; M .25; S .20; Blbts. 20 for \$1.00



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Sierra Snow



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**Modern Miss** 

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Jessie Mae

COLUMBIA (407) Somewhat similar to Corona but it appears to be better in several ways. From testing it appears to be healthy with no crooking and a strong propagator.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00 S .60; Blbts. 8 for \$1.00

CROWN JEWEL (460) A very attractive rose pink, quite heavily frilled and ruffled. 8-9 blooms open. This looks like a glorified Mrs. F. C. Peters.

L.50; M.35; S.25; Blbts. 8 for \$2.50

CRYSTAL BEAUTY (400) A beautiful ruffled and frilled white with cream throat; 5" florets. A 22 bud spike which grows 60" tall and as straight as a ramrod. A marvellous glad for either commercial or exhibition that can take the heat, drouth and wind and will open from green buds.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

CUPID (300) Cupid is a glad for the lover of arrangements. 4 or 5 waxy, ruffled white florets precisely arranged on a wiry stem of about 14 buds. The  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " florets are as if carved of white wax.

L .15; M .10; S .05; Blbts. 20 for .30

CYNTHIA (410) An early light yellow that opens up to 7 recurved florets on a long spike. Strong healthy grower and very tall spikes. A good early commercial.

L.50; M.35; S.20; Blbts. 10 for .50

**DAYBREAK** (Harris) (516) A beautiful cream and buff combination. Very delicate pastel, general effect is buff. It grows 56" tall, spike has 22" flowerhead, opens 8 with 6 in color, a grand commercial or exhibition glad.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

DIAMOND LIL (311) Frilled medium yellow with a perfect red diamond in the throat. A straight willowy stem with about 8 41/4" blooms open on an 18-bud head. Outstanding. L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00

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- **DOLLY VARDEN** (Harris '50) (532) (LM) Deep salmon-pink with an attractive cream throat. Opens 9, huge  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " florets with 7 in color on husky spikes. A fine variety for either exhibition or commercial use.
  - L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- **DOROTHY MARGARET** (542) Heavily ruffled and pointed petalled clear pink, with cream throat. 5½" florets, grows 60" tall with 28" flowerhead, open 8 with 8 in color, 20 buds and one of the brightest pinks in the garden.
  - L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00; 100 for \$8.00
- EASTER MORN (400) An early heavily ruffled white growing 56 inches tall, 22 buds and 8 open. Blooms in 70 days. It cuts 100 percent and has great commercial possibilities.

  L.50; M.35; S.20; Blbts., pkg..50
- EDITH WARR (542) This medium pink glad is very close to perfection as an exhibition and commercial variety. 6" florets with 6-7 open and 6 in color is usual on a 19 bud, sturdy spike of 54". The color is almost light enough to be termed light pink, and the tremendous flowerhead, deep green foliage and strong stems are a sight to behold.

  L \$3.00; M \$2.00; S \$1.00; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00
- ELMER'S ROSE(460) Medium deep rose, deeper than Noweta Rose and is heavily ruffled. It opens 7-8 well spaced blooms on a tall plant of 20-22 buds. A good propagator.

  L .60; M .40; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .60
- ENCHANTMENT (432) Smooth salmon pink with clean creamy throat. The florets are round, wide open and nicely crimped. Early. Already a grand champion to its credit.

  L .25; M 2 for .25; S 4 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- ENCORE (423) A deep salmon orange, heavily ruffled commercial or exhibition, that can take heat, drouth, and still cut 100 percent. A marvelous keeper, grand florists flower, in a most unusual color.
  - L .35; M .25; S .15; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **EVENING STAR** (500) This is without a doubt the most heavily ruffled white glad, pure white, texture like leather, grows 60" with 28" flowerhead, 6½" floret, opens 8, with 8 in color.
  - L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- **FALCON** (566) A most beautiful lavender, one that will become very popular. Its ruffled, recurved, and needlepoint florets make it a standout from other lavenders. It will open up to 6 very large blooms on an average spike.
  - L .40; M .30 S .20; Blbts. 10 for .40
- FIELDMASTER (441) Beautiful clear cameo pink with heavy midribs and yellow lip. Heavily ruffled and rolled back petals. Opens 8-9 on a strong, tall plant. A good keeper.
  - L .25; M .20 S .10; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **FLORENTINE** (500) Pure creamy white waxy florets with neat frilling. Tall spikes with long tapering flowerheads. The unopened buds have a slight greenish tint as an added attraction.
  - L .25; M 2 for .25; S 4 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- FORSYTHIA (512) This has proven one of the finest yellows in commerce. 55" tall with a 26" flowerhead, 5½" florets, 20 buds, 8 open and 8 in color. Ruffled fluted; stands heat and drouth well and rated highly by all who have seen it.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00
- FRANCESCA (466) Lightly ruffled lavender pink with cream throat. Tall straight plants with about 6 blooms open. 18 buds. Placement, attachment and propagation good.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts 2 for .25
- FRASER (Harris) (432) Deep heavily ruffled salmon with deeper throat. Grows 56" tall, opening 8 florets on a 22" flowerhead with 6 more in color, a grand commercial or exhibition.
  - L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- FRIENDSHIP (440) This beautiful soft pure pirk shading to cream throat is a dream for color and beauty. The round blooms are exquisitely ruffled and open 6 to 8 on a straight medium height plant. Excellent propagator.

  L. 20; M 2 for .25; S 4 for .30; Blbts., Pkg. .25

GLADWIN (440) A very pleasing shade of soft pink with cream throat. Height 48", flow-erhead 22", 41/2" floret, 8 open 6 in color, ruffled and fluted and marvelous for either exhibition or commercial. This one is a dream of beauty.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

GLORY (Allen) (401) A grand ruffled white, with small strawberry blotch. Grows 52" with 26" flowerhead, 7 open, with 6 in color, heavy texture and ruffling. Excellent for commercial or exhibition.

L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

GOLD (412) Rich clear golden yellow of fine form. Blooms are nicely ruffled, well attached and placed. Tall strong rugged plant with a long head when well grown. Opens 6-8 beautiful blooms. A fine commercial. The most gorgeously beautiful and grand deep yellow.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50 Blbts. .10 for \$1.00; 100 for \$8.00

GOLDEN BEAUTY (512) Lovely, deep golden yellow of average height. Makes huge spikes of blooms. One of the finer yellows and a good commercial glad.

L 2 for .25; M 4 for .30; S 6 for .30; Blbts., Pkg. .30

- **LDTHROAT** (462) Deep rose is somewhat deeper than Burma. Has a large brilliant golden throat. Opens 8 ruffled blooms that will run from  $5-5\frac{1}{2}$ ". It grows  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall with 20 buds and a 26" flowerhead. Very healthy. Good propagator and general **GOLDTHROAT** (462) Deep rose is somewhat deeper than Burma. all around fine glad. Stands the heat and adverse weather well. L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 10 for .75; 100 for \$6.00
- GOLDEN CROWN (412) Pure medium deep yellow, above the average in height with about 20 buds, 6 of which are open on a 24" flowerhead. This should make a real good about 20 buds, 6 of which are open on a 21 from commercial as the color blends with other flowers.

  L .60; M .40; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .60

GRACE DARLING (Harris) (Mid-season) (60) Very lovely light rose shading to a cream throat. Makes fine spikes in a color that you will thrill to.

L .25; M .15; S .10; Blbts., Pkg. .50

HARRIET Lively, deep clear purple, ruffled and waved, in the 300 class, grows 54", with a 27" flowerhead, opens 7-8 4" blooms, and is without a doubt the best in its size and color. Has won numerous awards, and has scored all the way from 85 to 89½.

L \$1.00; M .60; S .40; Blbts. 5 for .50; 100 for \$8.00

- HEIRLOOM (566) A magnificent rose lavender making wonderful spikes from any size bulb. It has great vigor and good texture with no flecking and opens to 8 florets and many buds in color. This variety is somewhat similar to VALDA in color, but the florets are lightly ruffled whereas VALDA is deeply needle pointed. L \$6.00; M \$4.00; S \$2.00; Blbts. 10 for \$6.00
- HENRIETTA (466) An improved COLONIAL DAME, taller, somewhat lighter lavender, but deeper throat and much earlier. In fact, it comes into flower in 65 days which makes it valuable as a commercial as well as being a topnotch exhibition. Grows 54" with a 27" flowerhead, 20 to 22 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, ruffled and fluted with 41/2" floret.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

HONEY (340) Nicely ruffled clean pink blending to a white throat. A florists glad about 48" tall with 16 buds on a 20" flowerhead.

L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 10 for .75

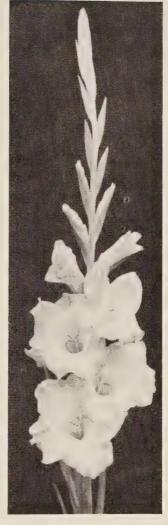
INDELIBLE (370) Bright purple, 50" tall in field 25" flowerhead, 18 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, 4" floret, excellent facing and spacing straight, excellent substance and a welcome addition to the purple class for either exhibition or commercial.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

- INGABORG (440) Field height 50", flowerhead 25", 19 buds with 5" florets, peach pink, somewhat more buff than Picardy, ruffled and fluted, 8 open, with 6 in color, slight inconspicuous feather in throat, grand florists color, health excellent. L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00
- JESSIE MAE (443) A rich deep pink with scarlet feather in throat which adds charm and appeal. Grows 58" with 28" flowerhead, 20-22 buds, wonderful attachment, will hold 9 open, 10 in color. Extra heavy textured and heavily ruffled.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00







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Stormy Weather

JINNI MARIE (432) (Barrett '49) (80) A heavily ruffled salmon pink with a deeper throat. It opens up to 10 florets of double row placement on a long spike. Good propagator and makes fine growth from bulblets.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.00

**KASHMIR** (Allen) (470) A beautiful shade of solid purple with extremely heavy texture ruffling, and velvety sheen. 56" tall, 20 buds, 5 to 5½" florets, attachment and facing perfect. One of the finest.

L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts., Pkg. .50

KING DAVID (570) Deep purple with velvet red throat with a picotee edge around the petals. Heavily winged, ruffled and fluted. 5½" florets. Tall straight spikes having 22-24 buds with 10 open and 10 showing. The attachment is good.

L \$1.50; M \$1.25; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

KOKOMO GIANT (542) A huge pink, similar to Tivoli in color, but with a 7½" floret, growing 72" easily, with 22 to 26 buds, opens 7 with 7 in color. One of those easy growers, that will make a hit with the amateur, as well as the commercial man.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50, Blbts. .20 each; 10 for \$1.50

**LADY GRACE** (Tyndall) (406) Creamy white blending to a buff flush in throat. We consider this a promising cut-flower variety.

L .35; M .25; S .15; Blbts. 15 for .25; 100 for \$1.50



Lynne Hill, the lovely little girl for whom the glad LYNNE HILL was named.

LANCELOT (410) New light yellow opening 8-10 perfectly placed blooms on a tall spike. Consider this the best of the new light yellows. Growing habits excellent.

L .25; M 2 for .30; S 4 for .30; Blbts., Pkg. .25

LA VALLE (507) A beautiful rich, heavily ruffled light cream, with small orange throat marks. 60" tall, with 25" flowerhead, 22 buds, with 8 or more open, 6 in color,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " florets.

L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 10 for .75; 100 for \$6.00

**LAVENDER LACE** (460) A glad reminiscent of the era of lavender and old lace. Similar in size, height and color to Elizabeth The Queen but possessing a pure throat. A lavender as beautiful as the smaller size Wedgwood but in the 400 class.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts, Pkg. .50

**LEAH GORHAM** (450) A very striking and attractive light red with clean white throat. Tall, strong straight plant with long flowerhead and 6 or more lightly ruffled bloom open. A good commercial and exhibition prospect.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.60

LORD ELGIN (436) A gorgeous dark red, perhaps the heaviest ruffling on any glad and the toughest texture. Not tall, grows from 40 to 48" perhaps averaging not more than 40", 5" florets with 16 buds, 6 open 6 in color, perfect facing and spacing and one that was loved by all who tested it.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

LYNNE HILL (470) A wonderful new color in a rose purple with deeper throat and each petal edged with silver, ruffled 53/4" florets which opens 7 with 9 in color and has won its share of ribbons and awards of merit this past season. Height 46" with a 20" flowerhead, and one of the most unusual glads I have ever grown.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

- MALIBU (440) A grand, medium light pink, lightly frilled with clear clean throat. 5" bloom and 19 buds on a 50" plant. This was one of the most outstanding glads in the garden. Don't miss it.
  - Any Size Corm \$2.00; Blbts. .30 each; 10 for \$2.50
- MADELINE HEFTY (462) Medium lavender rose with deeper veined blotch on a light buffish throat. A good grower.
  - L .40; M .30; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00
- MANDARIN (550) A wonderful deep tomato red with deeper red marking on lower lip. A wonderful color break. The straight willowy spikes are 56" with a 26" flowerhead of 22 buds. The blooms are 5" and are heavily ruffled and wide open with raised midrib.

  L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts, 10 for \$1.25
- MARATHON (410) Butterscotch yellow with an attractive red spot on the throat. Opens 7, 51/4" ruffled, recurved blooms on tall 6" spikes. A top-notch commercial as it opens right to the tip.

  L.50; M.35; S.25; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00
- MARGARET JEAN (520) An attractive orange that has made a fine record at the Canadian shows. A strong grower with 16 buds and a 28-30" flowerhead.
  - L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts., Pkg. .50
- MARTHA WASHINGTON (466) A heavily ruffled lavender with cream throat, very colonial lavender, grows 55" tall, 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, 5½" floret, 8 open, 8 in color. A real exhibition, or commercial.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- MECCA (466) Bright rosy lavender with light rose reverse. In the throat is a rose red thumb mark on which are two heavy white lines. The florets run 4½-5", are rolled back and slightly waved and crimped. The substance is very good.
  - L \$1.00; M .60; S .30; Blbts. 10 for .50
- **MELLOW MOON** (420) Light orange, almost a self color. It will open up to 8 nicely placed and well attached florets on a slender spike. Excellent propagator and bulblets produce salable spikes.
  - L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00
- MISS JOAN (440) A distinctive blush pink without marking. Opens to 10 43/4" florets on a 19 bud spike 54" tall with 26" flowerhead. The color is lively and glistening. Save for an occasional misplaced floret I see no faults. A glad to watch.
  - L \$3.00; M \$2.50; S \$2.00; Blbts. 10 for \$3.00
- MISS MADISON (540) A large formal type, pale pink, shading to stronger pink at the edges, with a raised white midrib. Grows 60" in the field, with a 30" flowerhead.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " floret with 22 buds.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.25
- MODERN MISS (467) Lavender Purple with darker spot on lower lip petal. Height 52" with 25" flowerhead, 21 buds 9 open, and 9 in color, 5" florets, facing and spacing perfect. A marvellous flower for either exhibition or commercial.
  - L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50
- MOTHER FISCHER (400) Lavishly ruffled white velvet. Grows tall and rugged with 7 open on a long flowerhead of 20 or more buds. Already a show champion.

  L.50; M.35; S.20; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00
- MOUNT BAKER (506) Though classed as a cream, this to me is a flesh white shading deeper in the throat. 7-8 very large well placed florets of heavy substance on a 54" plant. A promising show glad.
  - L .60; M .40; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .25
- MYRTLE GRACE (466) Very early lavender rose. About 10 wide open, ruffled florets and 8 buds in color. This looked very special in our planting this year. Try it.

  L.25; M.20; S.15; Blbts. 25 for \$1.00
- NELLIE LOU (542) What a pink. True flesh color, with slight strawberry throat marks. Grows easily 66", with 26" flowerhead, 22 to 24 buds, with 10 open, 8 in color, Really outstanding.

  L. .75; M. .50; S. .35; Blbts., Pkg. .50
- **NOVELTY QUEEN** (430) Our first really fine glad in the double dragon type. Spurred like a columbine, with flounces, like a lady of the gay nineties, a most beautiful and useful glad, that will interest hybridizers, and amateurs alike. You will thrill to its opening.

NOWETA ROSE (560) A clean layender-rose that can produce sensational spikes. It will open up to 12 florets with most of the remaining buds in color. It's a tremendous propagator and good germinator.

L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00

OKINAWA (381) Attractive light rosy chocolate with petals splashed deeper brown and a deep wine spear in the throat. It opens 8-9 easily in double row formation. show winner in its class.

L .20; M .15; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

- ORCHID MIST (467) A beautiful ruffled light rose lavender, shading deeper toward the edges and with a very distinct lavender blotch. Height about 44" with a 22" flowerhead, heavily ruffled and needle pointed with a 4½" floret, opens wide and flat. Ladies who visited my garden this season selected this as the most beautiful glad in the patch. L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- ORCHIS (466) Deep sparkling lavender with a silvery caste over the entire floret. grow 54" tall and 22" flowerhead and 6 or more open florets. Texture, placement and attachments are good and the stem is straight.

L .60; M .40; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .50

PEACH GLOW (416) A large buffy orange, with wide open well rounded florets, ruffled, very heavy texture, 19 to 21 buds, 62 inches tall with 28" flowerhead, opens 8, with 8 in color. Winner of many special awards, in Canada and USA, and a most unusual, useful, and beautiful glad.

L \$1.50; M \$1.25; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

PENNANT (440) A wonderful light, soft pink absolutely unmarked. Very attractive under artificial light. Plants are strong, stiff and straight. A sister seedling of Evangeline but with perfect placement. 5" florets with 10 open, 20 buds on a 54" plant.

L \$2.00; M \$1.25; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00

PERSIAN RUG (486) A very showy and unusual novelty—one that makes you look the second time. Its color is different from any we have ever grown-plum and rose with a prominent creamy throat blotch. It will open up to 8 lightly ruffled florets on an average spike.

L .75; M .50; S .30; Blbts. 4 for .25; 10 for .50

PHAROAH (530) Rich pink salmon, with cream yellow throat, yellow midribs, field height 63", opens 7 on a 19-bud spike with a 30" flowerhead. Floret size 534". Well recommended.

L .35; M .25; S 2 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .50

PINK CLASSIC (540) Heavily ruffled and fluted pink overlaid deeper pink and blending to a lighter throat.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " blooms of good substance, 7 to 8 open and 8 buds in color on a spike of 20 or more buds.

L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 10 for .75

PINK SATIN (542) A Glorified Lovely Lady. An exhibition pink, with white throat, heavily ruffled, with 8 open, and 8 in color. Grows 56" in field, with a 30" flowerhead, 6" florets, and certainly one of the most luscious pinks you ever saw.
L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

POINSETTIA (450) Pure, lightly ruffled light spectrum red. 5" florets with 5-7 open, 20 buds on a 50" plant and a 24" head. This comes highly rated as a future commercial variety.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

POLYNESIE (530) Deep salmon blending slightly lighter in the throat with a small deeper throat mark. Grows tall and straight and opens 8 to 10 perfectly placed slightly ruffled 5½" round blooms at once. Fine propagator.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts., Fkg. .50

PRAIRIE SUNSET (530) A huge salmon with deeper throat that makes a marvelous spike, with 5½" florets of excellent texture and ruffling. Grows 60", with 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, opens 8. A candidate for Champion Spike in any show.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

QUIBERON (416) A very lovely peach buff slightly deeper at the edges and blending to a light yellow throat. Opens 9 to 11 nicely ruffled 5" florets on long flowerheads with 23 to 25 buds. Very tall and husky. Fine propagator. Don't miss this.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts., Pkg. .50







Barrett's Beauty

Lila Wallace

Edith Warr

RED FEATHFR (552) Rich deep red. Grows about 4½' tall with 22-23 buds of which 10 are open. The 5½" blooms are perfectly placed. The tall straight spikes should make it a great show flower. It's a fine grower and propagates well.

L \$2.50; M \$1.75; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$2.50

**RED GLEAM** (433) A heavily ruffled, scarlet with yellow throat. This one is tough, in fact the thrip will not touch it for some reason. Grows 56'', with 28'' flowerhead,  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  floret, opens 8, with 8 in color.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. .20 each; 10 for \$1.00

RED GOLD (550) A fine light red of high color value. Grows tall giant spikes with large florets on 27" flowerheads. Very healthy and fine propagator.

L .30; M .20; S 2 for .20; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00

RED TOWER (436) Orange red or scarlet with lighter midrib. A very striking color. 5" ruffled and fluted florets with about 8 open, 21 buds on a 60" plant. Excellent placement.

L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50

RED VELVET (452) A beautiful medium dark red with a plush finish, like velour. A perfectly beautiful glad, grows about 48" with a 24" flowerhead, 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color. A grand commercial or exhibition. Very rich in color, and lasts a long time in water.

L.75; M.50; S.30; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

**REGAL RED** (536) A giant massive scarlet that grows very tall. It opens up to 6 large blooms on well balanced flowerheads. Heavy increaser.

L 2 for .25; M 2 for .15; S 3 for .15; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**REGAL SPLENDOR** (470) A grand light purple, with some red in it. Grows 56", with 26" flowerhead, 22 buds, 8 open, 8 in color. A glad that makes a wonderful commercial, or exhibition.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

ROBERT ALAN (412) A beautiful clear deep yellow self. Petals are slightly recurved. One of the best deep yellows. Spikes 55-60" tall with 20-23 buds, a 26-30" flowerhead and 7-8 5" florets open.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .50

- ROSE GIRL (360) Light rose with deeper rose blotch on lower petals. Tall, straight 48" field height with 18" flowerhead, 15 buds, 3½" florets. A much improved Rosette with more life to it.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- ROSITA (563) A vibrant and vivacious rose with lighter picotee edges and deeper rose throat. It grows tall with 8 or more fluted and frilled large florets open with about 20 buds. An exceptionally fine glad.

  L \$2.00; M \$1.00; S .60; Blbts. 10 for \$1.25
- ROSY FUTURE (462) A new color in glads—the color of Revlon nail polish but with a slight fuchsia tint. It opens 6 4-5" blooms with 6 showing. Has 17-20 buds. Grows 52" tall with tall straight spikes. A fine propagator. Good substance.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .50

- ROSY WINGS (466) A perfectly beautiful light rose lavender, ruffled, heavy textured, grows 56" with 27" flowerhead, wide open florets with as many as ten open and 8 in color, lying flat against the stem. 22 buds, one of which every commercial grower will eventually buy.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50
- ROYAL FLUSH (552) Medium, clear red, heavily ruffled, grows 66" with a 30" flowerhead, carrying 22 to 24 buds. Florets are 6½". One of those real breaks a hybridizer gets once in a life-time. Perhaps Barrett's finest introduction to date. Opens 10 with at least 8 in color.

  L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S .75: Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- ROYAL TREAT (452) A deep blood red Burma seedling. Very heavy ruffling, extra heavy textured, like leather, with a beautiful velvety sheen. Height 54", 27" flowerhead with 22 buds, 8 open, 8 in color, strong grower. Midseason.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50

**SALUTE** (436) A light stunning scarlet of heavy texture, and strong color saturation—almost red. A sharp white line down the throat gives it added distinction.

L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .50

- SHALIMAR (362) A beautiful shade of rose, with deeper shade of rose in throat and each petal edged with silver. Ruffled and frilled. A deeper rose colored Betty's Choice. Height 48", 20 buds, 8 open, 6 in color, facing and spacing perfect and a color florists are crazy over.

  L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- SHIRLEY IRENE (460) Soft rose with deeper throat and a picotee edge of rose. 5" florets with 8 open. 18 or more buds on a 54" plant. This looks like a worthwhile addition to the rose class.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. .10 each; 10 for \$1.50
- SIERRA SNOW (400) A billowing white, of marvelous texture, grows 66" easily, with 30" flowerhead, opens 12, with 10 in color, 22 to 24 buds, heavy ruffling, and placement. Best seedling at Niagara Peninsula Show, and many other Special Awards. Tops Florence Nightingale by the same hybridizer, and that is something.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- SONOMA (GANNET SPORT) (537) Height 66", 32" flowerhead, 25 to 26 buds, 5½ to 6" florets, 10 open, 8 in color, brilliant scarlet, with soft cream throat. A giant in the field with perfect spacing and facing. A healthy robust grower, that can stand heat and drouth and come up smiling.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

**SPARKLE** (532) The glad that has a sparkling sheen. Color is pinkish salmon, 5½ to 7" ruffled florets. The straight spikes carry 18 to 22 buds and open up to 6 to 8 florets. It produces plenty of bulblets that germinate well.

L .35; M .25; S .15; Blbts. 15 for .25; 100 for \$1.50

STERLING (470) A new color break in glads. A phlox purple, with a rose feather in the throat. Ruffled, tall, blends well with yellows or whites, and a fine exhibition or commercial.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00; 100 for \$8.00

STYLISH (440) This lovely medium pink with a creamy pink throat and a small deep pink dotted blotch at the back opens 6-7 heavily ruffled 51/4" florets on spikes 52-55" tall with 20-23 buds on a 24-28" head. A strong easy grower with excellent habits that make it a promising commercial.

L .60; M .45; S .30; Blbts. 10 for .60





- **SUMMER SNOW** (300) Snow-white with no trace of cream. It opens up to 6 ruffled precisely arranged florets on long tapering spikes. Very consistent. Rapid propagator and fine grower from bulblets.
  - L 2 for .25; M 10 for .50; S 10 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **SUNDANCE** (412) Clear, ruffled medium yellow. Opens up to 8 or more 5" blooms on a long head with up to 26 buds. Tall, vigorous grower. Considered by many to be the best recent yellow. A promising commercial prospect.
  - L .25; M .20; S 2 for .25; Blbts. 10 for .25
- SUNSET GOLD (421) Something marvelous from the Antipodes that has been generally overlooked. A grand buff toned yellow classed as an orange possibly because of the brilliant orange center. A really good one with  $5\frac{1}{4}$ " florets, 20 buds on a 54" straight plant.
  - L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50
- **SWEET SIXTEEN** (440) A true pure pink reminiscent of that exquisite old timer—Coryphee. This is a color sport of Beauty's Blush and is identical in form and vigorous growth to that variety.
  - L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 10 for .50; 100 for \$4.00
- **TAHOE** (406) Here is a sure fire commercial which will win its share of prizes also. Clear cream with a faint tinting of baby pink at the edges. Plants are sturdy, straight and tall. About 8 of 18 buds will open in perfect placement.
  - L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 2 for .25; 10 for \$2.00
- TASCO (520) A brilliant, glowing orange, like the color of the live embers of a coal fire, with a cream blotch. Grows 58", with 20 to 22 buds, 8 open, 8 in color. One of the real standouts of 1951 introductions.
  - L \$3.00; M \$2.00; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$3.00
- **THISISIT** (432) Nice clean deep salmon with about 6 4½" florets open. Its main forte is the fragrance which is noticeable in newly opened florets; and when cut and opened inside the fragrance is pronounced.
  - L .25; M 2 for .30; S 3 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **TRAIL'S END** (562) Fairly deep rose with a light yellow throat. Attractive and a very strong grower. Spikes over 60" with 19-20 buds on a 28" head and 7 large florets open. Should make a fine show record.
  - L .40; M .30; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00
- TYRONE (466) A lovely orchid lavender with white throat lightly peppered lavender. 6 to 8 5" florets open on an 18-20 bud plant of good height. Fine placing and attachment on a straight sturdy stem. Fine reports on this from several Central States.

  L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S \$1.00; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- VALDA (566) Huge, deeper lavender Elizabeth The Queen, with better stretch, longer flowerhead, 22 buds, opens 8, grows 50" without irrigation, heavily ruffled and needle pointed petals. One of Barrett's best.
   L \$2.00; M \$1.50; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$2.00
- VANITY FAIR (517) A blush pink, with buff overlay, and with small cerise throat lines. Leather texture, heavily ruffled, and needle pointed petals grows 60" easily, with 30" flowerhead, open 8 with 8 in color, American Home Achievement Medal winner at Detroit, and several seedling awards during 1950. One of the most beautiful glads you ever saw.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00; 100 for \$8.00
- VELVET MANTLE (454) (Fischer '49) (85) A velvety dark red that opens up to 8 florets on long flowerheads. Strong healthy grower and the color does not burn in the field. Excellent propagator of easily germinating bulblets.

  L .25; M 2 for .25; S 4 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- VOGUE (466) Large, wide open heavily ruffled deep lavender. 18 buds with 8 5" florets open on a 54" plant with 26" flowerhead. Nice things have been said of this one.

  L .40; M .30; S .20; Blbts. 10 for .40; 100 for \$3.00
- WEDDING MARCH (440) Clear light pink deeper at the edges, with a faint pink brush on a cream throat. 7 5" florets open with a total of 20 buds on a straight 5' plant.

  L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50
- **WHITECLIFFE** (501) Here is a grand white from the Antipodes. A faint pink feather adds to the beauty.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " florets with 8 or more open. About 20 buds on a 54 to 60" plant. Try it for sure.
  - L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

WHITE TOWER (501) Sensational, tall, stately White Tower is a welcome addition to the list of blotched whites. Few glads equal its height and vigor. The florets are PURE WHITE with a deep pink blotch. Attachments, placement, substance and texture are perfect and best of all it is an early bloomer.
 L \$1.00; M .75; S .40; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

WILD FIRE (436) A grand heavily ruffled scarlet of extra heavy texture and heavy ruffling. Height 52" with 25" flowerhead, 6-8 open, 8 in color. A grand exhibition or commercial. Easy grower and very early.

L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

WINONA (406) A former Barrett seedling which Sydney grew out and is so nice he is introducing it at a very modest price. A light cream, slightly deeper cream throat on which is placed some small cerise throat darts, ruffled and frilled, height 55", flowerhead 30", 20-22 buds, with 8 open, 7 in color, 5" florets, good spacing and facing. One you will love to grow.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00

**WONDER BOY** One of the finest additions to the purple class ever seen. Rich dark purple, ruffled and fluted, class 470, field height 55", flowerhead 27", 20 to 25 buds, with 8 open and 7 in color, 5" floret, perfect spacing and facing, healthy dark green foliage and one of the most brilliant purples I have ever seen. Don't miss this one.

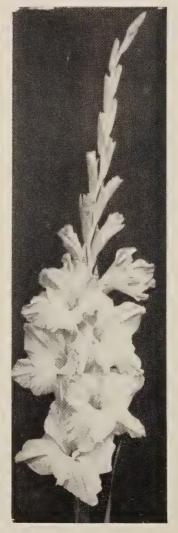
L \$3.00; M \$2.50; S \$1.50; Blbts 10 for \$3.00

YELLOW FLARE (410) A beautiful light yellow in a clear color that catches the eye. It looks very promising as a florist variety and already has won a few ribbons at the shows.

L. .50; M. .35; S. .20; Blbts. 8 for .35; 100 for \$3.00







Colonial Dame

Valda

Anne Sherman

## GENERAL BULB LIST

AMERICAN BEAUTY (562) Medium deep rose with deeper throat, heavily ruffled. Height of 60", carrying 20 buds on a 22" flowerhead, opening 7 to 8 5" florets.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 25 for \$1.00

**ARCTIC SNOW** (300) A tall strong glad of medium size. A very good commercial where medium sized florets can be used in arrangements.

L & M .25; S .15; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**ARISTOCRAT** (462) A very large deep rose with smooth round florets of very heavy texture. Excellent commercial and cut-flower habits. Tall with fine placement.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 20 for \$1.00

**BARBARA** (461) Bright, lively light rose with considerable cream in its makeup, with clean throat. One of the finest florist glads and can be a contender on the Show Bench. Don't miss this one.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**BETTY'S CHOICE** (362) Resembles Courts Orchid but much superior cut-flower traits. A ruffled rosy mauve with high color value.

L .15; M .10; S .05; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**BLACK CHERRY** (554) A giant black red, opening 9, 6" florets on a 19 bud spike. A great show-winner. Does not burn in hottest sun. Healthy and good bulb maker.

L .40; M .30; S .20; Blbts. Pkg. .25

**BLUE LAGOON** (478) Medium blue, nearly self with somewhat lighter throat. A tall straight grower opening to 6 or 7 florets.

L .20; M 2 for .30; S 2 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**BOISE BELLE** (343) Unusual combination of pink and yellow. The yellow lip petals are bordered in pink. Opens  $10\,4^{\prime\prime}$  florets on a tall spike.

L .30; M .20; S .10; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00

BURMA (562) Beautiful ruffled deep rose. Up to 8 huge, wide open florets, and balance of spike in color. One of Palmer's best.

L 10 for .75; M 10 for .50; S 10 for .30; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**CHIEF PONTIAC** (524) Giant orange scarlet opening 6 or more on a strong tall spike. Almost a self color. One of the best for us. Mid-season.

L .25; M .15; S .10; Blbts., Pkg. .25

COMPLEXION (442) Light shell pink with 8 open on tall, straight plants. Nicely ruffled. Good attachment. A good commercial.

L .15; M .10; S 4 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

CONNIE G (506) Entrancingly beautiful. Exquisitely ruffled deep clear cream. Heavy textured. Fine straight spikes with 10 open blooms.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts., Pkg. .50

CRINKLE CREAM (410) Very large ruffled clear light yellow. Good placement. At its best when given plenty of moisture.

L .10; M 2 for .15; S 6 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**DAISY MAE** (521) Husky orange salmon with deeper blotch. Opens 8 on a tall 20-bud spike. Vigorous and a good propagator.

 $\mathbf L$  .10; M 2 for .15; S 6 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**DARLA** (461) A 65 day rose and a real money maker for us as an early cutter. The plants are as straight as gun barrels, and will cut 100% saleable spikes. An enormous propagator and perfectly healthy.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**DEBORAH SAMPSON** (440) A pastel blend of soft pink and creamy buff. Holds 6-8 open on a tall plant. Good attachment. Outstanding.

L .10; M 2 for .15; S 8 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

DIEPPE (436) Deep salmon red with deeper blotch. A deluxe cut-flower variety and a four-star glad in any garden. A real top notch glad of the future.

L 10 for \$1.00; M 10 for .75; S 10 for .40; Blbts., Pkg. .25

DREAM CASTLE (342) Warm light coral pink with cream throat. Opens to 10 well attached florets perfectly placed on straight stems.

L 2 for .25; M 3 for .25; S 5 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (566) The finest and loveliest low priced lavender grown, either for exhibition or florist use. Superb ruffling and high color value.

L 10 for \$1.00; M 10 for .75; S 10 for .40; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**EVANGELINE** (560) Very beautiful light rose, with a creamy yellow throat. 8 to 9 huge beautifully ruffled blooms on a flowerhead of 20 to 22 buds. Foliage grows tall and broad and is very disease resistant.

L .25; M 2 for .25; S 4 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .30

EVENGLOW (424) Red orange with light salmon throat and lower petals light yellow.

Beautiful ruffled florets on a husky plant.

L 2 for .25; M 3 for .25; S 5 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

- FIREBIRD (436) Very early clear brilliant scarlet. Opens 6-8 with up to 24 buds. An early market cut-flower variety.

  L only, 10 for .75
- FIREBRAND (452 Medium red with darker throat. Opens 8-10 well placed blooms on a stretchy flowerhead. Exchange or commercial type.

  L only, 10 for .75
- FIRAMENT (476) A new early blue from Holland, which looks like an improvement over Blue Beauty. Much earlier and somewhat better color.
- L 3 for .25; M 4 for .25; S 6 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

  EL OPENCE NICHTINGALE (400) Possibly the finest all around white glad extant. It has
- FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (400) Possibly the finest all around white glad extant. It has already established itself as a top ranking exhibition and commercial variety. Many times a Show Winner. You can make no mistake on this one.

  L 2 for .20; M 3 for .25; S 6 for .25; Blbts. 100 for .50
- GAYLORE (432) Deep salmon pink with cream blotch. Tall, strong uniform grower. A wonderful cut-flower variety. Try it.

  L and M, 10 for .60
- GOLDEN ARROW (510) Clear light yellow that is fast becoming a popular cut-flower variety. Opens 8 on tall strong plants. Outstanding low priced yellows are scarce. Try this one.

  L and M, 10 for .60; S 20 for .50; Blbts., Fkg. .25
- GREAT LAKES (476) One of the finest light blues. Tall straight and a good cutter. It thrives on heat and should be widely grown.

  L and M, 10 for \$1.00
- HEART'S DESIRE (540) Heavily ruffled light pink shading to a light creamy throat. It opens 8 wide open, well attached, perfectly placed blooms on fine tall spikes.

  L 2 for .35; M 2 for .20; S 4 for .20; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$1.50
- HI HO (432) Practically a pure pink, shading slightly toward the salmon side; a fairly large cream-white center. Seems reliable and good in every way.
  L .30; M .20; S 2 for .20; Blbts. 10 for .30
- IVY ROBERTSON (440) Very tall growing cream with rose overcast and cerise throat marks. Has won as the tallest show spike.
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    L and M, 10 for .60; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **KLONDIKE** (412) Tall deep yellow with 8 open. Florets are lightly ruffled with good texture. Good habits. An outstanding cut-flower.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; Blbts. Pkg. .25
- LAKE PLACID (406) A grand creamy white late cutting commercial. Grows tall and straight with long flowerheads.
  - L and M, 10 for .60; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- LAVENDER AND GOLD (366) Fine, early, medium sized yellow throated lavender. Tall, wiry stems with 6-7 frilled florets open. A "must have" for arrangements.
  - L and M, 10 for .60
- LEADING LADY (506) This light cream glad is being grown by the millions and has appeared on every Show Table in the country.

  L and M, 10 for .60
- **LEADING LIGHT** (500) A grand creamy white exhibition, that has been winning prizes all over the country. A consistent performer that will win for you.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 40 for \$1.00







Peach Glow

Falcon

**Evening Star** 

LILA WALLACE The Cinderella Glad. A perfectly gorgeous color in a velvety cerise.

Open 8 on an 18-bud spike, in a 300 size, that has beaten many in the 500 class.

L .25; M .20; S 2 for .25; Blbts. 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00

LIPSTICK (441) Lightly ruffled shell pink with rose blotch. Tall and straight. A good variety that has beaten Connecticut Yankee on the Show Table.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.00; Blbts., Pkg. .25

MAGNOLIA (440) Beautiful, light, soft, creamy-pink. Opens 6-3 nicely formed, recurved blooms on a tall spike. Very popular.

 $\boldsymbol{L}$  and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.00; Blbts., Pkg. .25

MARGARET WOOD (570) Wine purple with 6-8 huge florets open on a tall straight plant.

Propagates well. A grand basket and show glad.

L and M, 10 for .60

MID-AMERICA (550) Tall, strong growing brilliant light red that has an enviable show record. Somewhat too soft for commercial use.

L 2 for .30; M 2 for 20; S 4 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25

MIGHTY MONARCH (552) Very tall, sturdy deep red that can be used either as an exhibition or commercial variety. Recommended.

L .20; M 2 for .30; S 3 for .30; Blbts., Pkg. .25

MISS MICHIGAN (442) A fine coral pink with white throat named for a former "Miss Michigan". This beautiful glad deserves popularity.

MISS WISCONSIN (460) The outstanding merits of this great variety make it in great commercial demand. A mighty good glad. The color is really rose pink rather than light rose.

L 10 for .80; M 10 for .50; Blbts. Pkg. .25

- MRS. C. W. GANNETT (583) Possibly the most robust of the smokies. A salmon smoky with many huge florets open. Outstanding show glad.

  L and M, 10 for \$2.00: S 10 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- MY DEAR (440) A fine shade of shell pink with deep pink markings on the lower petals. It opens up to 6 wide-open ruffled florets on a well balanced flowerhead.

L .25; M 2 for .25; S 4 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

ORCHID BELLE (467) Medium light rose with a long head of bloom. Medium height but will respond to plenty of moisture.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

PACTOLUS (417) Apricot cream with orange blotch. Immensely popular with 8 wide open well placed florets. A nice color combination.

L 2 for .20; M 2 for .15; S 4 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25

PALISADES (430) A light salmon with 5" plain-petaled florets. Spikes are straight and 65" tall with 17-21 buds on a 29-31" flowerhead. Can open up to 14.

L .15; M .10; S .05; Blbts., Pkg. .25

PATRICIAN (566) Huge, clear true lavender of average height. With ordinary good culture given it this is truly wonderful.

L 2 for .30; M 2 for .20; S 4 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25

- PEGGY FARRELL (501) A wonderful clean white with cherry throat mark. Makes fine spikes with 6 to 8 large blooms open. Extra for show or commercial.

  L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 25 for \$1.00
- **PERDITA** (313) An attractive deep golden yellow with bright scarlet throat darts. It opens 8 heavily ruffled florets of heavy texture. It is an easy winner at the shows. Don't miss it.

L .35; M .20; S .15; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**PHANTOM BEAUTY** (440) Clear light pink that will open to 12. Perhaps the finest low priced blush pink, Wonderful for exhibition.

L 2 for .20; M 2 for .15; S 4 for .20; Blbts.. Pkg. .25

- POET'S DREAM (366) Clear cool lavender with cream throat. The 5-6 lightly ruffled florets are wonderful for arrangements.

  ( L and M. 10 for .60
- **RED CHARM** (452) The standard red for show or for cut-flower use. This glad is really "tops" in its color. A four star variety.

L and M, 10 for .60; S 10 for .40; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**RED CHERRY** (436) Early brilliant scarlet of large size. Might be called a cherry colored Picardy. One of the best in that color.

L 2 for .30; M 3 for .25; S 6 for .25; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**REGAL LADY** (542) Can win most beautiful spike in any show. Wonderful ruffled pink, that can open 12.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts., Pkg. .50

RHETT BUTLER (336) Bright flaming orange scarlet. Positively the earliest red on the market. 65 days. A very valuable cut-flower.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 15 for \$1.00; Blbts., Pkg. .25

ROYAL WINDSOR (550) Huge, bright spectrum red. Will open to 10 in double row placement. The color of the red in the solar spectrum or rainbow. Nothing else like it. Exhibition and commercial.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**SKYROCKET** (550) A brilliant striking plush red, velvety texture. Tall and makes a real show glad. A good commercial also.

L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 25 for .75

- SKYWAY (440) Tall light pink shading to a cream throat. A fine clear color. Grows 60" tall with 18 buds on a 27-30" flowerhead and 6-7 51/4" florets open. A promising comcercial.
  - L .50; M .35; S .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **SPARKS** (506) A tall, straight creamy yellow with firecracker throat darts. Very striking and unusual. A very fine all-around glad.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- SPIC & SPAN (442) Wonderful spikes in a tall ruffled deep pink. Many open. The perfect commercial and one of the heaviest show winners. Grow it and show it.

  L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- SPOTLIGHT (412) Deep, golden yellow with a small scarlet blotch. Opens 5-7 lightly waved blooms on slender, willowy spikes. Most popular yellow and in great demand.

  L 10 for .80; M 10 for .40; S 10 for .25
- STORMY WEATHER (480) A lavender rose and grey smokey. One of the best smokies, in appealing color. Tall. A blue ribbon winner.

  L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 25 for \$1.00
- STRATOSPHERE (506) Barrett's fine ruffled huge creamy white that is getting well known. Many times a winner.

  L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 35 for \$1.00
- STRAUSSENFEDER (540) One of my favorites from Holland. A little known huge light pink with ruffled and pointed petals. Tall. A real show glad and a fine commercial.

  L .20; M .15; S 2 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- STRAWBERRY PEACH (533) Huge, ruffled bright orange toned peach, with scarlet blotch.
  Unusual and very striking. A favorite.

  L 2 for .30; M 2 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- SUPREME BEAUTY (432) A wonderful salmon pink with yellow throat. Here is a glad that should be grown by all. A fine commercial.

  L and M, 2 for .30; S 4 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- TIVOLI (440) Clear, soft rose pink with lighter throat. Opens 8 on tall spikes. Good habits Cut-flower growers are stocking it.

  L 2 for .25; M 4 for .30; S 4 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- TREASURE ISLAND (542) Tall, vogorous rose or orchid pink with long flowerheads. An
- excellent cut-flower in every way.

  L 2 for .30; M 2 for .20; S 4 for .20; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- TROCADERO (422) Mammoth spikes in a distinctive carrot-orange color. Grows tall and will open 6-8 florets on long flowerheads.

  L 2 for .25; M 3 for .25; S 4 for .25; Blbts. Pkg. .25
- VIOLET DICKINSON (501) The perfect basket glad. Lovely ruffled white with purple throat darts. A strikingly beautiful glad.

  L .25; M .20; S .15; Blbts. 35 for \$1.00
- WEDGWOOD (366) This is really "tops" for small arrangements. Waxy ruffled light lavender with cream throat. An artistic glad for your garden or for the up-to-date florist. Really breath-taking.
   L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- WHITE GODDESS (500) Ruffled, creamy-white, opening up to 9, heavily-textured blooms on long flowerheads. Grows 6' tall in the fields. Grand champion at many shows.
  L 2 for .30; M 3 for .25; S 10 for .25; 100 for \$2.00

# SMALL VARIETIES

ARIA (248) Charming deep pink with a light cream throat. A miniature with a grand champion's characteristics. Opens 8, beautiful 3" florets with 6-7 in color on tall, 20bud spikes.

L .50; M .40; S .25; Blbts. 5 for .25

ATHENA (266) A bright clear lavender shading somewhat darker toward the edge and with a golden stripe on the middle of the two lower petals. All petals are lacinated. Perfect for corsages.

Any size .25

BABY BETTY (240) Something like the older Little Sweetheart, but more refined, somewhat taller and a good propagator. One you will love and enjoy.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

**BO-PEEP** (249) Beautiful buff-pink, shading to a yellow throat, faintly dusted red. Opens 5-6, heavily textured and ruffled blooms on a 17-bud spike. The 3" florets have good placement and attachment.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

CRINKLETTE (244) The forerunner of most of Mr. Butt's popular miniature strain. Orange-pink of unusual form and style. Very heavy texture and dainty ruffling. Opens 6-7 well-arranged and attached florets on sturdy spikes.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

- CUTIE A dainty little miniature, in a medium rose shade, shading to deeper rose toward the center, with deep rose throat. Faces up, 8-9 buds, on a 16" spike, extremely healthy. L .50; M .35; S 4 for \$1.00
- ELLA MAY (240) One of the older really good ones. Lovely light pink with rich cream throat. Don't miss this one. .

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

- FADDIST (243) Another of the older good ones. Medium pink with brilliant red throat markings. Wonderful for corsages. L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- GAILY CLAD (291) A 1952 introduction that should not be confused with the deep salmon Gaily Clad introduced in 1945. This variety is greenish yellow with a conspicuous orange red blotch on the lower petals. It has heavy textured, tightly tied, heavily ruf-fled florets on a heavy straight stem with 5 wide open showy bloom of 13-14 buds on a 20" flowerhead. Existing stocks are small although propagation is satisfactory.

L \$2.50; M \$2.00; S \$1.50

GOLD CHEVRON On the unusual side, in that its florets are lacinated and needle pointed. Florets are light yellow without any noticeable trace of another shade. Up to 6-7 open. Florets are well placed on tall straight spikes.

L .25; M .20; S 2 for .20; Blbts. 20 for .50

LITTLE GOLD (212) Shining gold. Sensational deep golden yellow opening 5 frilled florets of 15 buds. Many show honors.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

LITTLE SWEETHEART (240) Delicate shade of pink, blending to a snow white throat. Opens 6, 31/4" lightly ruffled florets on a 36" stem. Moderate propagator.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 10 for .50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

LOVELY MARY (232) Warm glowing salmon with a rich cream throat. Opens 6, slightly ruffled. wide-open florets on 16-bud stems. Very pretty.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts., Pkg. .50

- NADIA (231) An unusual blending of colors. Upper petals bright salmon; lower petals yellow. Opens 6-8 airily spaced florets on straight, wiry stems of 15-16 buds.

  L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- ORANGE BUTTERFLY (222) Glowing bronze orange, one of these small decorative types that fits so well in arrangements. Spikes are tall and wiry. Holds up to 8 or ten open. Will crook but for arrangements that does not hurt.

L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25

- **PINK DRAGON** (230) A miniature dragon type gladiolus. The first one we have ever seen and a real find for the hybridizer. Clear salmon pink, with 5-7 buds on a foot long flowerhead, 2 to 3" florets, heavily spurred on back of segums, so it resembles a double dragon. Corms are small.
  - L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .75; Blbts. 10 for \$1.50
- PINOCCHIO (390) A novelty blend of green-orange, pink and yellow. Opens up to 6, heavily ruffled, airily spiced blooms on a 15-17 bud spike. Very choice.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **QUEEN OF BREMEN** (266) Delightful lavender-pink with a white throat. A beautiful, small, prim-type decorative that is fine for arrangements.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **ROSETTE** (260) Ruffled light rose pink with dark rose feather. Perfect double-row arrangement. Opens up to 8,  $3\frac{1}{4}$ " florets with 6-8 in color. Best results from large bulbs. Many show honors.
  - L 10 for \$1.60; M 10 for .80; S 10 for .50; Blbts. 15 for .25
- RUBY (252) Medium dark red, slightly darker in the throat. A diminutive Red Charm. Free bloomer from all sizes. Opens, 5-6, 3" florets on straight 18-bud spikes. Wonderful in arrangements with Starlet.
  - L 2 for .30; M 3 for .30; S 10 for .25
- **SILVERSIDES** (262) Small, bright, deep-rose with silvery reflexes and dusty sheen. Slender graceful spikes and unique color. Opens 5-6 florets on tall, 18-bud spikes. Winner of many awards.
  - L 10 for \$1.00; M 15 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.00; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **SMILETTE** (260) Lavender-rose shading lighter in the throat with a deeper rose brush. Opens 6, wide-open, intensely ruffled, 3" florets on a straight, hard stem. An outstanding dainty decorative.
  - L .75; M .50; S .35; Blbts. 5 for .25
- **SPOT O ROSE** (201) One of Mrs. Kinyon's many good ones. A lovely miniature in a pure white with rose spot. Well named. Of good height and florescence. One of my favorite small ones.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- **STARLET** (200) Opens 5-6, crisp, airy, white 3" blooms on tall wiry stems. Very nice in arrangements and one of our favorites.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- TRI-COLOR Almost a Red, White & Blue glad. Outer petals deep pansy violet, shading to ivory center, with ruby throat marks. Very unusual. Carries 16 buds, opens 7 florets with 6 in color, on a 20" flowerhead.
  - L .25; M .20; S 2 for .20; Blbts. 20 for .50
- TWINKLES (232) Ruffled deep orange red with a yellow throat. Will open 6 on a 45" spike. One of the most beautiful.
  - L .25; M .15; S .10; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- WHITE BUTTERFLY (200) White with soft cream throat. Very beautiful cut flower. Early and one of the best for its class.
  - L and M. 10 for \$1.00; S 20 for \$1.50; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- WHITE LACE (200) An immaculate snowy white with an ivory throat. Waxy and heavily frilled and of excellent heavy texture.
  - L .25; M .15; S .10; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- WILL SCARLET (236) One of the old timers but still with us and destined to stay. A small clear scarlet that comes consistently good. Typical miniature in every way.

  L 10 for \$1.00; M 12 for .65; S 12 for .40; Blbts. 25 for .25
- YELLOW BIRD (210) A medium shade of yellow. Will hold up to 8 open. Medium tall flowerhead on wiry spikes. Florets are round, slightly recurved. Spacing, facing and attachment good.
  - L and M, 10 for \$1.00; S 15 for \$1.00; Blbts., Pkg. .25
- YELLOW SEA Easily the finest yellow miniature in commerce. Wins everywhere.

  L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts, 100 for \$4.00

# LUCIAN GOSLING DRAGONS & DOUBLE DRAGONS

. Many of you folks have heard of Lucian Gosling, of Ludington, Michigan. A quiet, mild mannered, God-fearing man, who is interested only in Nature's peculiar traits, in creating oddities in the glad world. This season, I was privileged to grow them, and they were certainly interesting and intriguing. Stocks are small and the year only for the grower who is looking for novelties and are not for the commercial grower. If you want some surprises, something completely new and different in glads, be sure to try some of these Gosling treasures. Here they are:

#### 1953 INTRODUCTIONS

- WHITE DRAGON: Globular creased and crinkled florets of heavy texture, in ivory white, with a pink dot in throat. Complex spurs on this clustered bloom, make it appear double, and a rare delight for arrangers.

  Any size corm \$5.00, with limited number of bulblets \$1.00 ea.
- CARNIOLA: A miniature, resembling a carnation, with a sheaf of tiny petals in yellow flecked with red. Bulbs are tiny, fully developed corms are 1" in diameter. For you hybridizers, here is a real gem. Less than 50 corms for sale. No bulblets.

  Any size corm \$10.00. First come, first served.
- RELUCTANT DRAGON: Next to WHITE DRAGON, this one is the most beautiful of the dragons. A beautifully ruffled and spurred "face-up," in salmon, with a yellow throat. Nice long flowerhead, 15 to 18 buds, holding 5 to 7 open. Another real gem in a novelty. Hybridizers please note. Limited stock.

  Any size corm \$5.00, No Bulblets.
- MOTHER DRAGON: A lightly spurred, long headed salmon pink "face-up", with ability to produce good seed. This, and Fairy Dragon, are the most satisfactory seed producers. Extremely limited stock.

  Any size corm \$5.00, nearly all small bulbs, No bulblets.
- TRUE PURPLE: A blue purple breeder of great value to the hybridizer looking for good blues. Makes good seeds, which grow to large seedlings in one season, giving a high percentage of healthy near blues. Another Gem for you hybridizers.

  Any size corm \$3.00. No bulblets.

### RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

- FAIRY DRAGON: This dragon is the key to the fairyland of new shapes, forms and types of dragons. Usually t bears elfin needle spurred cupped florets in lavender pink, but occasionally it produces creased and fluted petals.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts, at 10 for \$1.00
- GREY DRAGON: An orchid type, which makes sprawling florets, folded and spurred, in lavender grey smoke. The oddest floret you ever saw, especially interesting in floral work.
  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 10 for \$1.00
- SHAGGY DRAGON: A large bright salmon double. Not as double as CARNIOLA or MULTIPETAL, having 12 to 15 petals in cupped "face-ups."

  L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. at 10 for .75
- PINK SPURS: An odd taller Dragon, with mottled spurred buds, which open to coral pink cups, facing up. A weird and haunting beauty.
  - L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. at 10 for .75
- DINOSAUR: This is a variable, ranging from sprawling blossoms like GREY DRAGON, to spurred double florets, color always in a bright orangy pink.

  L.75; M.50; S.25; Blbts. at 10 for .75
- PETALS OF EIGHT: A short-headed yellow, usually having two extra petals per floret. giving it a peculiar density. Not a dragon.

  L.75; M.50; S.25; Blbts. at 10 for .75
- VIOBLUE: This is the only violet blue in the giant violet class. Large well grown bulbs, will make 7" florets.

  L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts at 10 for \$1.00
- CRYSTRAUM: An ethreal lavender, tinted white of double parentage, useful in breeding for doubles. On occasion it doubles its florets.

  L.75; M.50; S.25; Blbts. at 10 for .75

MULTIPETAL: From Arthur Koerner's original stock. A many petalled double of dragon parentage, it produces a high percentage of doubles, when bred on to seed bearing dragons.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. at 10 for \$1.00

UNBLOOMED SEEDLINGS FROM BLUE CROSSES: These are large healthy bulbs, grown this season, from the seed of many blue crosses, mostly of TRUE PURPLE in the parentage. Is the first true blue somewhere in this batch of seedlings?

L .75; M .50; S .25

### TREASURE CHEST OF GLADIOLUS SEED

Be a hybridizer the easy way. Purchase of seed, makes you the originator and owner of any valuable seedling you may grow from it. Order by CROSS NUMBER. Seed will be mailed in early spring, unless you desire it sooner. The numeral after each cross, indicates the number of seeds per packet.

### PLAIN CROSSES. .50 per packet.

Cr	ross	Cr	oss
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101	Abu Hassan X Blue Gem	129	Porcelain Blue X King David 10
102	Adagio X True Purple		Red Cherry X Stained Glass 12
103	Black Cherry X Black Velvet 10		Sherwood X Burma 8
104	Black Velvet X Ace Of Spades 6	132	Skyhigh X White Tower 8
	Blue Giant X Peacock Eye 10	133	Spic & Span X Burma 12
106	Blue Lagoon X King David 10	134	Spic & Span X King David 8
107	Burma X Indigo 10	135	Stained Glass X Orchis Mist 8
108	Burma X King David 8	136	Strathnaver X Blue Wedgwood 8
109	Crown Jewel X Spic & Span 6	137	Sunset Gold X Luxury 15
110	Evangeline X King David	138	Terrific X Gold
111	Florence Nightingale X Gold 6	139	The Bishop X King David 10
112	Florence Nightingale X Spic & Span 10	140	The Champ X White Tower 15
113	Great Lakes X Vioblue 10	141	True Purple X Burma
114	Green Gold X Gold 8	142	
115	Green Gold X Pelletier D'oisy 8	143	True Purple X Stained Glass 10
116	Heart O' Gold X Sunset Gold 15	144	True Purple X Vioblue 15
117	Indigo X Blue Devil 6	145	Tunia's Highlight X M. J. White 8
	King David X Burma 6	146	Tunia's Highlight X Jack Fallu 10
119	Libretto X Peacock Eye 8	147	Tunia's Wizard X Burma 10
	M. J. White X Tunia's Wizard 10	148	Tunia's Wizard X Gold 10
121	M. J. White X Vioblue 10	149	Tunia's Wizard X M. J. White 12
122	New York X King David 10	150	Tunia's Wizard X Vioblue 8
123	Oklahoma X Burma	151	Vioblue X Blue Gem 8
	Oklahoma X Spic & Span 15	152	Vioblue X Burma 8
	Pactolus X Gold 6	153	White Magic X Burma
126		154	White Tower X The Champ 12
	Peerless X King David 10	155	Sunset Gold X Gold
128	Phantom Beauty X Gold 8		

### INBRED & CURIO CROSSES: \$1.00 per Packet.

INBRED & CURIO CROSSES: \$1.00 per Packet,					
Cross Cross					
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156	Brilliant Pink Seedling X Inbred 15	175 Mother Dragon X Fairy	Dragon. 5		
157	Cologne X Novelty Queen 3	176 Mother Dragon X Gold.	6		
158		177 Mother Dragon X Perfu	ıme 3		
159	Fairy Dragon X Alone 3	178 Multipetal Seedling Inb	red 5		
160		179 Multipetal Seedling X I	Multipetal 10		
161	Fairy Dragon X Inbred	180 Perfume X Sunset Gold	18		
162	Fairy Dragon X King David 5	181 Perfume X M. J. White.			
163	Fairy Dragon X Novelty Queen 5	182 Salmon's Dragon X Yell	ow Dragon 8		
164	Fairy Dragon X Multipetal 3	183 Summer Fragrance X K	Sing David 12		
165	Fairy Dragon X Pink Spurs 5	184 Summer Frgrnce. X Nov	velty Queen 3		
166	Fairy Dragon X Red Dragon 3	185 Summer Frgrnce X Swe	et N' Lovely 8		
167	Fairy Dragon X Salman's Dragon 5	186 True Purple X Inbred.			
168	Fairy Dragon X White Dragon 3	187 True Purple X Salman's	Dragon 4		
169	Florists Glory X Wedding Day 10				
170	Frilled Fragrance X Spic & Span 15	MIXED CROSSES in vary	ying types:		
171	Gold Inbred	BLUE MIX 50 s			
172	Gwen Inbred 4	DRAGON MIX 50 s			
173		FRAGRANT MIX 50 s			
	Lavender Queen X Wedding Day 10	GENERAL MIX 50 s			
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### GLADIOLUS SEED

Once again, I am able to offer the finest hand hybridized gladiolus seed to be offered by anyone. Reports from the results of growing this seed have been very glowing, and I have received many letters asking about more of it. So, I have prevailed on Jack Harris, to again permit me to offer a fine selection as follows:

31-U—FORTUNE X ORANGE SEEDLING 29-U—BLUEBERRY X MILFORD

8-U-MILFORD X BLUE SEEDLING

9-U-LIGHT YELLOW SEEDLING X DEEP YELLOW SEEDLING

13-U—BLUEBERRY X LIGHT BLUE SEEDLING 15-U—GAYLORE X PINK SEEDLING

17-U-KING DAVID X MAUVE SEEDLING

26-U-ACE OF SPADES X DEEP RED SEEDLING

27-U—ROYAL SCOT X PURPLE SEEDLING

33-U—YELLOW SEEDLING X YELLOW SEEDLING
34-U—GOLD X YELLOW SEEDLING
35-U—DEEP RED SEEDLING X RED FEATHER
36-U—PURPLE SEEDLING X KING DAVID

39-U—TWINKLES X EXQUISITE MIDGET

40-U-KING DAVID X MAUVE SEEDLING

Please order by number only, as the seed is packaged that way. These seeds are all plump, hand rubbed seeds, and are priced at .10 each or 12 for \$1.00. Don't compare these with ordinary glad seed. They are exactly the same crosses as Mr. Harris plants for his own seedlings. Not too many seed, first come, first served.

## **QUANTITY PRICE LIST—NOT PREPAID**

Here is your opportunity to buy 25 bulbs at the 100 rate, of many of the recent introductions. No Order accepted from this list under \$10.00.

					Bul	Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	100	Quart	
AYLMER GLORY	per 100	\$100.00	\$ 70.00	\$50.00	\$ 7.50		
ANGELA LYNN	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7 00		
BARRETTS HONEY DEW	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
BONNIEBRAE		70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
CHARLOTTE RUSSE	Do	15.00	10.00	7.50	1.50	\$ 50.00	
CITATION		20.00	15.00	10.00	2.00	50.00	
DAYBREAK	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00	125.00	
DOLLY VARDEN	Dо	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00	125.00	
EASTER MORN	Do	30.00	20.00	12.50	3.50		
EDITH WARR		200.00	150.00	70.00	12.00		
FORSYTHIA		90.00	60.00	45.00	12.00	200.00	
FRASER	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00	125.00	
GOLD	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
HENRIETTA	Do	100.00	70.00	50.00	7.00		
INDELIBLE	Do	100.00	70.00	50.00	7.00		
JINI MARIE	Do	15.00	10.00	7.50	1.50	100.00	
LA VALLE	Do	40.00	30,00	20.00	3.50		
LORD ELGIN	Do	100.00	70.00	50.00	7.50		
LYNNE HILL	Do	100.00	70.00	50.00	7.50		
MARTHA WASHINGTON	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
MOTHER FISCHER	Do	35.00	25.00	15.00	4.50		
MYRTLE GRACE		15.00	10.00	7.50	2.50		
NOVELTY QUEEN		140.00	100.00	70.00	14.00		
ORCHID MIST		100.00	70.00	50.00	7.00		
PEACHGLOW		100.00	90.00	55.00	1400		
PINK SATIN	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
PRAIRIE SUNSET	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
RED GLEAM	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
ROSE GIRL	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
ROSY FUTURE	Do	30.00	20.00	15.00	3.00		
SIERRA SNOW	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
STERLING	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		
VANITY FAIR	Do	70.00	50.00	35.00	7.00		

There are always those who can grow them worse, and sell them for less. However, I will meet the published prices of any reputable grower, on any varieties, which I list. You may be sure of QUALITY stock too.

## DAHLIA SECTION

DAHLIAS ARE FAST COMING INTO THEIR OWN AS CUT-FLOWERS. They come into flower in late August, bloom through September, and our florists use them in quantity. Here is a list of tried and proven varieties, which we have segregated for their fine performance under any and all weather conditions.

ALADIN: 1952 import from Holland, A-FD, Red splashed golden giant. one of the best for either exhibition or cut-flowers. Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50

ARTHUR GODFREY: A huge rusty red I.D. grows to 11"x7" easily, one of the best of the big fellows. Roots \$4.00, Plants \$2.00

AMB. VAN KLEFFENS: A fine medium sized formal, in a orange color, long stems excellent for cutting.

Roots \$1.50, Plants .75

BRIOSO: A brilliant I.D. Red tipped white, which has been an excellent performer here. Roots \$1.50, Plants .75

BACCHUS: A brilliant scarlet St. Cact., with extra lcng stems. Perfect cutter. Roots \$4.00, Plants \$1.50

BRODER JUSTINIUS: Well known autumn I.D. profuse bloomer. Roots \$1.00, Plants .75

ARISTOCRAT: Another grand Holland Import. The perfect little scarlet cactus lasts longest of all when cut. Roots \$1.00, Plants .50

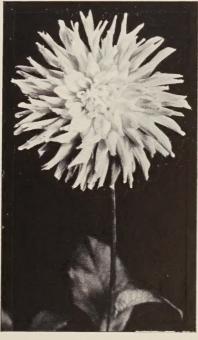
**BISHOP OF LLANDAFF:** That dark foliaged pecny type dahlia, so popular with the ladies. Roots \$1.00, Plants .50

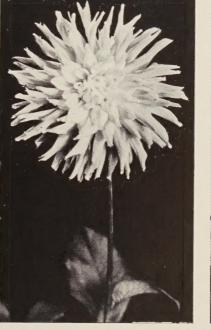
BLACKBIRD: 1952 import from Holland. Blackest red incurved cactus, dandy flower. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$2.50

BURNBRAE'S MEMORIES: Huge light yellow formal. Grows 12x8" easily.

Plants only \$2.50







Jini Marie



Michigan Orchid

CARDINAL: A marvellous brillant red S.C. many times winner. Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50 CONSTELLATION: A grand light salmon pink St. Cact. Hollander. Roots \$1.50, Plants .75 CHUCKIE-D: A perfect medium FD in a light autumn, long stems. CYGNUS: A 1952 Holland Import. Perfect white incurved cactus. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$2.50 CLARIAM ROYALTY: Fine Purple tipped white. Many times winner. Plants Only \$2.00 Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50 DR. DEL MARR: A huge autumn I.D. grows 12x8" easily. DEAN SHURTLEFF: Finest red formal in commerce. grows 10x6" easily. Stock limited. Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50 Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00 **DEEP VELVET:** A black red FD, best in it's class. Roots \$7.50, Plants \$2.50 DETROIT 250: Huge Blood red Inc. Cact. Much in demand Roots .50 D-DAY: Finest medium priced pink formal. Grand cutter. Roots .50 **EXQUISITE:** Finest large white I.D. with slight orchid tint in center. EUGENE BLACK: B-SC Salmon Rose, with gold center. 1952 Holland Import. Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50 FIREGLEAM: Most perfect Inc. Cact B size, dahlia in commerce, Fine cutter on extra long Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50 stems. FIVE-STAR GENERAL: Simply huge formal pink, grows 12x10" easily. Roots \$1.00, Plants .75 HALIFAX: A big formal deep yellow on good stems One of the best from Holland. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00 IKE: That fine blood red S.C. Miniature, with long stems, and loads of flowers which is our finest cutter. Roots .50 JIMMY G: The best white miniature we grow, with extra long stems. A dandy Roots \$1.00 KIRSTEN FLAGSTAD: A huge S.C. in autumn color, which is an easy grower, and a beautiful dahlia. Roots \$1.50, Plants .75 KING CANUTE: Perhaps the finest yellow cactus to come out of Australia. It grows 8" easily, and for a large dahlia, it is a perfect cactus form, petals roll back to stem. with a deeper shading toward the end. Stock is limited. Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50 KING SIZE: A brilliant scarlet Inc. Cact, grows 10x8" easily, on good stems. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00 **LAKESIDE BEAUTY:** The perfect formal pink. A must for any grower. Roots \$1.00, Plants .75 MAFFIE: One of the finest to ever come out of Australia. A huge red S.C. that has been grown to 14" in width. Roots \$1.00, Plants .75 MRS. ED. DIEHL: B-S.C. Rust orange, with long stems. One of the best. Roots \$1.00 MRS. HAMMERTON: 8" S.C. Australian Salmon, shading to lavender, with lemon at base. Extra fine. Plants only \$1.50 NANCY ARNOTT: A beautiful little pink cactus, from Australia. Wonderful bedder. Roots \$1.00 NICKY K: A brilliant scarlet, with laciniated tips, wonderful cutflower. Roots \$1.00 MICHIGAN ORCHID: The best orchid S.C. Dahlia in commerce B size. Roots .75 OAKLEIGH CHAMPION: A beautiful autumn and yellow blend, in a large inc. Cact. One of the best in the list Roots \$1.00, Plants .50 ORFEO: A Hollander. in a S.C. deep purple, B size, excellent cutflower.

CROYDON'S MASTERPIECE: A huge rusty red, grows 12x9" F.D.

Plants Only \$2.50

Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00

PIRATES TREASURE: Beautiful orangy red, FD, extra good long stems, flowers 11x7", one of the finest.

Roots \$4.00, Plants \$1.50

PATRICIA SPOLLEN: Considered the best of the 1952 introductions, in a beautiful shade of orangy red, ID. A B dahlia of great charm. Roots \$10.00, Plants \$3.00

PERMANENT WAVE: A very early flowering I.D. in a medium rose shade, with twisted petals. A really fine dahlia.

Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50

PRIDE OF HOLLAND: Finest Inc. Cact. Pink dahlia in commerce. You cannot afford to be without this one. Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.00

PINK FLAMINGO: Shrimp Pink Inc. Cact. on good stems, grows 9x5" easily.

Roots \$1.50, Plants .75

**PEARL KENDRICK:** The best white formal cutter in commerce.

Roots \$1.00

RED & WHITE: A grand S.C. White with red tips, that grow counter clockwise. A beautiful and useful dahlia.

Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00

**RED BEAUTY:** Brilliant red FD, grows 8x5", and one of the finest.

Roots \$1.00

RED CHAMPION: A huge bright red I.D. grows 12x8", on good stems.

Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50

RYTHM: A blush pink S.C. grows about 9x5", and one of the best we grow.

Roots \$1.50. Plants .75

RUBELLITE: Perhaps one of the finest dahlias ever introduced. A brilliant deep red, with a pansy finish, shading to purple, and the petals have a silvery reverse. Has won scads of prizes.

Roots \$5.00, Plants \$1.50

SPECIAL AWARD: A huge autumn I.D. grows 13x8", on good long stems. A winner wherever shown.

Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50

**SILVER TIPS:** A huge rose S.C., with silvery tips. One of the finest.

Roots \$1.00

SAINT NICK: A FD in the B size, Red with white tips. Excellent stems and good cut flower.

Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50

SKYROCKET: A brilliant scarlet S.C. that lights up the entire garden. Roots \$1.00

TORERO: A French creation, scarlet, with yellow tips, on good stems.

Poots \$1.00

VALLEY'S ST. LAMBERT: The most unusual cactus dahlia in commerce. Rich carmine color, on a silvery base, serrated petals. Nothing like it in commerce. A Belgium creation.

Roots \$3.00, Plants \$1.50

WHIZ KID: A beautiful I.D. Pink, grows 12x8", a winner many times over.

Plants only, \$3.00

## POM-PON DAHLIAS, OF PROVEN MERIT

EFFECT: A new brilliant scarlet with dark foliage. from Holland. Profuse bloomer.

Roots \$1.00

FRITS: A bright little bi-color, red with white tips

Roots \$1.00

**MORNING MIST:** A white pom with orchid tips.

Roots .50

PINNOCHIO: As bright an orange scarlet as you ever saw.

**SHERRY:** The only purple pom in commerce that is dependable.

Roots \$1.00

Roots .50

**ZIERPUPPE**: An autumn with tubular petals.

Roots \$1.00

TIDAL WAVE: A 1952 Australian Import, the largest yellow formal in commerce.

Plants Only \$5.00

# PERENNIALS

TO SUPPLEMENT OUR CUT-FLOWER BUSINESS IN GLADS AND DAHLIAS, WE ALSO GROW SOME EXCELLENT PERENNIALS, AS FOLLOWS:

SHASTA DAISY—WIRRAL'S PRIDE: This is perhaps the finest big shasta daisy in commerce. Imported from England, it has nice long cutting stems with the white of the large petals extending well up into the yellow portion of the center, making the yellow center very small as compared to the more common species. Blooms early and late, completely hardy. Good divisions, not rooted cuttings, at:

.75 each or 3 for \$2.00

# EARLY - FLOWERING ENGLISH GARDEN CHRYSANTHEMUMS

These are similar to the greenhouse type of Mum, but grown out of doors. They were imported from England, and those who have seen them, are thrilled with their size, color, and vigor. Don't compare them with ordinary type of garden Mum. They are new and entirely different.

BALCOMBE ROSE: A new bright rich rose, fully double, on long stems.

CHATSWORTH: An early copper bronze, of good size.

FLORENCE HORWOOD: A Rose with golden center.

THE SWAN: Beautiful white, spoon type, large flowers.

DELIA: Rosy pink, Reflex.

YELLOW BARBARA: Six inch blooms of deep yellow, petals reflex.

CARLOTTA: Rose-Cerise, with old gold reverse.

ANSOM: Large flowers of soft shell pink.

BALCOMBE BRILLIANCE: Brilliant red flowers of medium size.

MAYFORD TRIUMPH: Scarlet Bronze, extra fine.

Any of above varieties, at 3 for \$1.75. Good divisions, not rooted cuttings.

## NEW HARDY ENGLISH PHLOX

Ever see phlox that the individual florets were as large as a silver half dollar? Are you tired of those old phlox that die off on the bottom, get mildew, etc? Here are some new ones that are the best I have ever seen or grown. You will want some to replace your old timers in the border:

**ELIZABETH ARDEN:** A deep shrimp pink, with a cherry eye.

DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER: Deep pink, with deeper pink eye.

BRIGADIER: A brilliant cherry rose, with a deep cherry eye.

SUPERB: A salmon pink, with a deeper pink eye.

Each of above, in good healthy divisions at 3 for \$1.75 or 12 for \$5.50.

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